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THE BYE-ELECTIONS.

A Representative Ontario Constituency Endorses the Government on the School Issue.

Wise Choice in Quebec West—Antigonish and Vercheres Return Liberals.

TORONTO, April 17.—(Special)—There is great rejoicing in Haldimand to-night over the splendid majority of 647 which Hon. Dr. Montague, seeking re election as Secretary of State, received over Jeff McCarthy, the partner and partisan of Dalton McCarthy. The school issue was the great one in Haldimand, and the friends of the government here are well satisfied at the outcome in this representative Ontario constituency. This is the sixth contest Dr. Montague has had in Haldimand in eight years, beginning with the general election in 1887, and though he only once lost his majority has until now been very slim indeed.

MONTREAL, April 17.—As expected, Vercheres remains true to the house of Geoffrion, returning the cousin of the late member, who had represented it for more than thirty years. The majority was slightly increased, C. A. Geoffrion, Liberal, polling about 200 more than Bissaillon, Conservative. The successful candidate declared approval of the government's course on the school question, and personal considerations therefore largely determined the election.

Quebec West, where there were two candidates both of Conservative antecedents but declaring themselves independents on this occasion, did itself credit by returning R. R. Dobell, one of the most highly respected members of the mercantile community, in preference to Thomas McGreevy. The majority, however, was only 6, for while the numerous personal friends of the last named stuck to him despite the scandals which caused him to abandon his seat a few years ago, the Liberals who placed party considerations above everything else cast their votes for Mr. McGreevy in the hope that they might gain capital by his re-entry into public life. The best element in the community, on both sides of politics, supported Mr. Dobell.

HALIFAX, April 17—Antigonish returns to its historic allegiance, electing Hon. C. F. McIsaac, Liberal, by 112 majority over Chisholm, Conservative. The member-elect is a member without portfolio of the provincial executive, and he is a brother of the McIsaac who as a Liberal represented Antigonish in the Commons for twelve years until in 1885 he accepted a county court judgeship, and his constituency returned the late Right Hon. Sir John Thompson on his acceptance of office in the Dominion government. The result of the election to-day was therefore no surprise to the government supporters, though they had hoped for success and did succeed in reducing Mr. McIsaac's majority to less than half of that by which he held the seat for the local house. His refusal to make the school question an issue no doubt assisted him materially.

CABLE ITEMS.

LONDON, April 17.—Earl Kimberly, secretary of state for foreign affairs, who has been spending the Easter recess in the country, suddenly made his appearance in London this afternoon, and the Globe, on the authority of the Exchange Telegraph Co., says it is understood that his return is connected with the conclusion of peace negotiations between China and Japan and the situation of the Nicaraguan dispute.

The Canadian officers who came to England to train with the Imperial forces have left London. Col. Otter has gone to Aldershot, Messrs. Wilson and Rutherford to Portsmouth, and Mr. Lessard and Mr. McDougall, to Shorncliffe.

In regard to the report that Secretary Gresham has informed the English government that the bombardment of Greytown, Nicaragua, would be considered an act inimical to the interests of the United States, the Morning Post to-morrow will print the following: "Inquiry shows that there is certainly no question of the bombardment of Greytown."

The Spanish government has abandoned the negotiations looking to the purchase of the cruiser recently built at Kiel for China, which was not delivered owing to the fact that the purchase money was not forthcoming. The builder of the cruiser demands £60,000 for the vessel, and this figure the Spanish authorities consider exorbitant. Several torpedo gunboats will sail for Cuba to morrow.

The Cunarders Campania and Lucania have been added by the government to the Royal Naval Auxiliary to be used in the event of war.

The Scotch oil companies have agreed to increase the price of oil to two pence a gallon.

A Freidrichsruhe dispatch says Bismarck received the visiting guilds to day. He appeared to have fully recovered from his late illness.

A Vienna dispatch says earthquake shocks were again experienced in Laibach last night, doing additional damage and greatly increasing the existing panic. All the people are fleeing to the country. Food is scarce and great distress prevails.

The North German Gazette announces that Germany will strengthen her squadron in the Eastern Asian waters to protect and maintain her commercial interests. The iron-clad Kaiser and the cruiser Princess Wilhelma are to be added to the fleet, the former becoming flagship of the squadron.

Dispatches from Paris indicate that the French measures against cattle from the United States are likely to embarrass Canadian shippers. Hereafter cattle from Canada should be accompanied by certificates of their origin which have been endorsed by the local French consul, otherwise the exporters may have difficulty at the French ports.

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CAPITAL NOTES.

Mail Advices From Australia Show Increased Interest in the Cable Project.

State Dinner at Rideau Hall—Arrival of British Columbia Members.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, April 17.—The government today received mail advices from Australia in reference to the Pacific cable from both official and private sources, which state that in all parts of the Australian colonies the importance of this alternative communication is fully recognized, and the establishment of the service as suggested by Canada is having favorable consideration. Some of the governments have already affirmed the principle of state ownership, and there is no valid objection made to the project by any of the other colonies. Hopes are expressed that the Home Government will now take speedy action in the direction of appointing a joint commission for the purpose of working out the details suggested by Canada some weeks ago.

Hon. Mr. Foster, as leader, will take Sir John Thompson's seat in the House of Commons.

A state dinner was held to-night. Hon. Mr. Laurier did not go on the advice of his physicians.

Colonel Prior and Senators Macdonald and McInnes were the first of the British Columbia contingent to arrive.

PEACE AT LAST.

The Treaty Between China and Japan Puts an End to Hostilities.

Li Hung Chang Officially Signs the Convention Between the Parties.

LONDON, April 17.—The Daily News will say to-morrow: "It is evident that Japan will necessarily become the dominant power in China if she supplies the proper leadership. The world will witness the rise of a new power on a colossal scale. There is no cause for alarm in any case. What is done is done and virtually nothing can alter it, and nothing ought to. It is a true conquest effected by war. It is a conquest of the right to a market apparently on an enormous scale. There is something positively exhilarating in the thought of China open to the enterprise of the human race. We do not believe English enterprise will suffer. Nothing but our own follies and mistakes will deprive us of the lead throughout the East. The new treaty in its industrial aspects only improves our opportunities; in its political issues it may safely be left to take care of itself."

The Daily News correspondent in Berlin learns that Germany objects to the conditions of peace only so far as they encroach upon German commercial interests, and regards the whole question as one to be settled between China and Japan as long as European interests are not affected.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg to the correspondent of the Politische, of Vienna, says: "Russia is firmly resolved not to allow the cession by China to Japan of any territory on the Eastern Asian continent, and will not shrink from entering into a serious conflict with Japan if her wishes cannot otherwise be attained. France is resolved to support Russia in this position. Reports from England show that that country is lending support to Japan."

TIENTSIN, April 17.—An imperial edict was issued authorizing Li Hung Chang to sign the terms of peace in accordance with the Japanese ultimatum. The indemnity to be paid by China is 200,000 000 taels. The edict further authorizes Li Hung Chang to grant possession of Leatong peninsula, on the fortieth degree of latitude, and the island of Formosa to the Japanese; also to consent to the opening of Pekin and four new ports to commerce, and giving the Japanese power to open cotton factories and other industries in China. By the terms of the proclamation the import duties at open ports are not to exceed two per cent. Another proclamation has been issued granting leave to the viceroy of Canton and ordering him to retire to his native province. The indemnity is to be paid in taels on five yearly payments. No territory is to be occupied by Japan as a temporary guarantee except perhaps Liu Kung Tao. Peace envoys start for Tientsin this afternoon, and the Japanese plenipotentaries will return to Hiroschima to morrow.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The state department has been officially advised of the signing of a treaty of peace between Japan and China. The terms agreed upon are in conformity with those already published by the Associated Press, save the amount of the indemnity, which was subsequently reduced, probably to an amount estimated to be sufficient to cover all of Japan's war expenses. It is doubted, though, whether it has been brought down as low as $100,000,000 in gold. Such territory as Japan is to possess, in addition to Formosa, which is absolutely ceded, will be subject only to temporary occupation, probably until after all of the indemnity has been paid. This would leave Japan in temporary possession of the entire Leoatong peninsula from Port Arthur, at the southern extremity, clear up to Moukden, the capital of Manchuria, on the north, and from the Leao river, on which Newchwang is situated, on the west, to the Korean border on the east. This amounts to about 3 000 square miles.

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DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Members Gathering at the Capital for the Opening of the Session.

Subjects to Which His Excellency May Refer—Amendment to the Address.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, April 17.—There is a decidedly sessional aspect about the Capital to-night. What with the arrivals of members and the local excitement over the bye-elections, the rotunda of the Russell house presented a scene of great animation for several hours this evening. As usual the members from distant constituencies are the first to arrive; Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, Manitoba, the Territories and British Columbia are all well represented. It is noteworthy that leading Grits are on the ground sooner than the Conservatives. Mr. Laurier arrived two days ago, and to-day he was joined by Mr. Mills, Mr. Edgar, Major Jim Sutherland, George Casey, John Charlton, and other well-known men on the front opposition benches. It is surmised that they are here to devise a line of action in reference to the address. It is fully expected that an amendment will be offered.

The speech from the throne was finally approved by His Excellency to-day. It is expected that the Governor-General in his address to the two houses will make a feeling reference to the sudden and lamented death of Sir John Thompson and to the grievous loss which Canada thereby sustained. It would be fitting on His Excellency's part to mention the deep sympathy felt by the Queen and the manifestations of sorrow with which the intelligence of the late Premier's death was received throughout the Dominion.

Correspondence has taken place in regard to the French treaty, and the Governor will probably say that as satisfactory assurances have been received from Her Majesty's government respecting the interpretation of certain clauses, ratifications will be exchanged when legislation has been passed.

An outcome of the colonial conference is seen in the recent action of the Imperial parliament by which the various Australasian governments have been enabled to enter into preferential trade relations with other self-governing colonies of the Empire. This action furnishes gratifying proof that the suggestions of the colonial conference are regarded in a favorable light by the British authorities.

As already foreshadowed, the speech will make mention of the Manitoba school question. The recent judgment of the judicial committee of the Privy Council declared that the dissentient minority in Manitoba had a constitutional right of appeal to the Governor-General in Council against two acts passed by the legislature of Manitoba in relation to education. That appeal has been heard and the decision of the Governor-in-Council communicated to the legislature of the province. Papers on the subject will be promised.

A reference to the prevailing depression in trade may be looked for. Fortunately Canada has suffered to a less degree than most other countries. While the value of our foreign trade has been kept up, owing to the low prices prevailing, and the recent reduction in the tariff, there has been a serious decrease in the revenue, thereby rendering strict economy necessary in every branch of the public service.

The Governor General during the recess visited the different portions of Canada, and will probably allude to the loyalty and public spirit of the people as evidenced wherever he went.

With reference to the recent Newfoundland negotiations, the speech will probably say that it will be a subject of general congratulation if the negotiations of the island for admission into the Canadian confederation are successful.

Among the measures which will likely be promised is one respecting bankruptcy and insolvency, and others regarding joint stock companies, insurance, Dominion notes, Dominion lands, the Indians, Northwest Territories representation, and a bill respecting the land subsidy to the Canadian Pacific railway.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Obituary.

PARIS, April 17.—George Malcolm, an old resident, died yesterday. During the troubles of 1837 8 the deceased was arrested as a rebel, but was afterwards released, no charge being proven against him.

LONDON, April 17.—Rev. James Gordon, M.A., late treasurer of the London presbytery, died yesterday, aged 68.

TORONTO, April 17. — Color-Sergeant Butterworth, aged 94, a veteran of the British army, who also saw service in the rebellion of 1837, died to-day.

Suicide From Despondency.

LYNEDOCH, April 17 —Annie Kelly, aged 20, threw herself into Big Creek yesterday and was drowned. She was despondent because she was afflicted with paralysis and loss of speech.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Burglary at Lethbridge—The Farr Arson Case—Former Government Inspector Dead.

WINNIPEG, April 17.—(Special)—McEwen's jewelry store at Lethbridge was entered by burglars last night, and stock to the value of $200 taken.

There are no new developments in the attempted arson case and the escape of William Farr, who is still at large.

News has been received here of the death of Edmond R. Abell, at Joliet, Wis. Deceased was formerly government inspector of steamboats here, and prior to that was in the service of the Hudson's Bay Company.

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Vancouver's Police Force to Be Investigated—Long Voyage of Frozen Salmon.

Westminster's Municipal Appropriations—Queen of the May for This Year's Celebration.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, April 17.—According to arrangement with the council the Police Magistrate appeared yesterday to hear charges against the police force. City Solicitor Hammersley was present for the city, and Mr. Davis, Q C., for the police. A general investigation was asked for by Ald. Gallagher, who was instrumental in bringing about the inquiry, but both counsel agreed to the fairness and propriety of having specific charges formulated against the police force by any citizen who chose to do so. The magistrate adopted their suggestion. Ald. Gallagher objected, and made the accusation that there was evidently an attempt to burk the investigation, and that the Police Magistrate was not following the instructions of the council. The Police Magistrate denied the charge of an attempt to interfere with the legitimate course of the proceedings, when Ald. Gallagher explained that he referred to Mr. Hammersley. Mr. Hammersley asked that the Police Magistrate make his decision as public as possible and invite citizens to lay their charges before him during the next week. The general impression is that the investigation will amount to nothing.

Rev. G. R. Maxwell arrived to-day by the Pacific express.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, April 17.—The first shipment of frozen fresh salmon to England via Australia by the Texas Lake Ice Company arrived at its destination in first-class condition. The second consignment went forward by the Warrimoo on her last trip.

At the auction sale of the Westminster slate quarry only $1,000 worth of land belonging to the quarry was sold. The sale was adjourned.

The young lady chosen for May Queen this year is Miss Dorothy Thompson, daughter of Mr. J. B. D. Thompson.

The following estimates of expenditures have been passed by the council: Interest on debentures, sinking fund and bank, $57,950; salaries and charges, $8,095; water, $5,585; health, $1,892; police, $9,230; library, $700; assessments, $1,870; hospitals, $1,500; printing and advertising, $1,400; fire department, $7,980; Fraser river bridge account if the contract is not let, $8,000; sundries, contingencies and park, $6,000; ferry, $1,484; light department, $23,807; board of works, $10,888.

THE CITY MARKETS.

Coal Oil Advanced Forty Cents Per Case—Wheat on the Rise.

The most important change in local quotations this week is the advance of 40 cents per case made in coal oil within the past few days. This is said to be due to the course of the Standard Oil Company which recently absorbed an extensive rival concern. Wheat, which has been advancing in the East, is rising here, but not to any marked degree. Hay is plentiful in the market, the current price being $10 per ton. There still exists a poor fruit market, but all kinds of meats and a fair variety and supply of fish are in stock. Dairy produce is in ample supply and green stuffs of California growth are continuing to come in in large quantities. Current retail quotations are as follows:

FLOUR—Ogilvie's (Hungarian) per bbl	$ 5.40
Lake of the Woods (Hungarian)	5.40
Three Star	5.25
Victoria	5.25
Lion	4.25
Royal	4.75
Portland roller	4.75
Snow Flake	4.40
Salem	4.40
Rainier	4.75
Wheat, per ton	25 00@30 00
Oats, per ton	25.00@30.00
Barley, per ton	32.00@35.00
Middlings, per ton	25 00@30 00
Bran, per ton	20.00@25.00
Ground Feed, per ton	25.00@30.00
Corn, whole	45.00
" cracked	50.00
Cornmeal, per 10 lbs	.40
Oatmeal, per 10 lbs	50
Rolled Oats, per lb	6
Potatoes, per lb	2
Bonapartes, per lb	1
Rhubarb, per lb	.05
Cabbage, per lb	3
Cauliflower, per doz	1 00
Hay, baled, per ton	12.00
Straw, per bale	1.00
Green peppers, per lb	10@12
" " cured, per lb	4 @ 5
Celery, per bunch	10@15
Onions, per lb	3
" Silver, per lb	.06
Eggs, Island, per dozen	20 @ 25
" imported	10
Butter, fresh	25@35
" Creamery, per lb	30@35
" Australian	35
Hams, American, per lb	18@20
" Canadian "	15@16
" Boneless "	20
Bacon, American, per lb	18@20
" Rolled "	12@16
" Long clear "	12½@15
" Canadian "	10@18
Shoulders, per lb	14
Lard "	15@20
Golden Cottolene, per lb	12½@15
Meats—Beef per lb	7@15
Sides "	7@9
Veal	10@15
Mutton, per lb	7@12½
Spring Lamb per quarter	1.00@1.50
Pork, fresh, per lb	10@12½
Chickens, per pair	1.00@2.00
Turkeys per lb	15@20
Geese per lb	15@20
Pigeons, per brace	50@75
Fruits—Apples per lb	6@8
Oranges (Naval) "	30@40
" (Riverside) "	15@20
Lemons (California) "	20
" (Sicily) "	40@50
Bananas, per doz	30
Fish—Salmon (Smoked) per lb	15@20
" " per lb	10
" Halibut	10
" Cod, per lb	6@8
" Small fish	5@6
" Flounders, per lb	6@8
" Oolachans	10
" Smelts	7
" Whitings	8@10

JOY IN QUEBEC.

A LADY SAVED.

Life Was a Burden and all Remedies Failed till B.B.B. was Tried, now Digestion is Perfect, and Health Has Returned.

DEAR SIRS,—Until lately I suffered continually from Headache caused by Constipation, which rendered my life a burden to myself and to others. After trying doctors and remedies without number and with no good results, I was adviso to try B.B.B. I now rejoice that I did so, for two bottles have completely cured me. I now eat well, and my digestion is perfect. I believe there is no remedy equal to B.B.B., and I recommend it to all sufferers.

DAME ADJUTOR LACHANCE.
Charlesbourg, Que.

Some very pretty hall and stair carpets in Brussels and tapestries at Weiler Bros. *

"FORTY YEARS' SERVICE."

TO THE EDITOR:—I remember in my youthful days being much touched by the refrain of an old song I heard at a concert in London, which ran: "When sorrow sleepeth awake it not." I have often thought that there was wisdom as well as pathos in those words, and at the present time I could wish that they had impressed our old friend Dr. Helmcken as well as myself. The schism in the Anglican church which took place in 18—, which gave rise in Victoria to the so-called "Reformed Episcopal Church," produced in all her members a great deal of pain, which I think all kindly disposed people would rather let sleep than again drag to the light of day.

As to its having been caused by the introduction of modern ritualism, everyone who knows the facts of the case must be convinced that such had nothing whatever to do with it. The real cause of the unhappy division sprang from friction between the Bishop and his Dean. These titles in the Old Country mean a great deal. My old Bishop had an income of over $100,000 a year, and the Dean of Winchester was a man of considerable note, the Bishop living in one of the finest historic palaces in England.

But the terms bishop and dean in the early days of this province meant little more than a poor rector of a small wooden church and his still poorer curate. Both the gentlemen who occupied these positions had been accustomed to independent positions—Bishop Hills as Vicar of Great Yarmouth, with several curates under him, and a large sphere of usefulness. Dean Cridge, had, before the Bishop's arrival, been lord of all he surveyed both spiritually and temporally, of the Church of England in British Columbia. Nothing short of a miracle could make two such men work together in their new range of action. And so it happened that trouble arose long before Archdeacon Reece preached on ritualism.

With regard to the unfortunate sermon, it should be borne in mind that Dean Cridge knew the Archdeacon to be a ritualist before he asked him to preach in his cathedral, yet he openly in church protested against the sermon that he should have diagnosed beforehand he would preach. As for calling Bishop Hills a high churchman in those days it is simply absurd. The service at the cathedral was of the baldest character, such a service as you will hardly find anywhere in England at the present day save in some mining districts where people are very ignorant.

If, on the other hand, any man sets up his own opinion and cries out, "I only am right," and thinks he knows better than the Archbishops of Canterbury and York and all the bishops and clergy and great mass of the laymen of the English church, I can only say in the words of Shakespere that such "dangerous conceits are, in their natures, poisons," and that the man who holds to them is to be pitied rather than blamed. To have a church that will suit the fancy of everybody is simply an impossibility. The Corinthians tried hard for it, and some were for Paul, others for Apollos or Cephas, and if they had been allowed their fling would have gone on ad infinitum. St. Paul crushed it in the bud. If Jesus could worship in synagogue or temple when he knew and reproved the characters of those who conducted such services, and was conscious that he was about to establish a universal church, as his own robe without rent or seam, we may well feel abashed if we cannot worship in the same House of God though the outward forms and ceremonies be not exactly to our individual liking. "Little children, let us love (not hate) one another."

The words that Tennyson puts into the mouth of John of Salisbury are only too true in this case:

We are self-uncertain creatures, and we may,
Yea, even when we know not, mix our spites
And private hates with our defence of Heaven.

PERCIVAL JENNS.

None But Ayer's at the World's Fair.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla enjoys the extraordinary distinction of having been the only blood purifier allowed an exhibit at the World's fair, Chicago. Manufacturers of other sarsaparillas sought by every means to obtain a showing of their goods, but they were all turned away under the application of the rule forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the World's fair authorities in favor of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was in effect as follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine. It does not belong to the list of nostrums. It is here on its merits."

Carpenters' tools at Cheapside. *

Brownies 5c. each, at Hibben & Co.'s.

MONEY TO LOAN

On security of Improved Real Estate.

ARTHUR ROBERTSON,

fe15 No. 6 Bastion Square.

FOR SALE—
A fine mansion and outbuildings with all possible conveniences, in Quamichan District, together with 300 acres of land; about 50 of which are improved and partly under orchard, crops, etc. Fine shooting and fishing may be had on the estate. About one mile from Koksilah station.

TO LET—
For a term of years—Tzouhalim—fronting on Cowichan Bay, together with 100 acres of land; partly in grass and orchard.

TO LET—
With privilege of purchase, several fine properties in Victoria City.

For terms apply to
HEISTERMAN & CO.,
ap17-1mo 75 Government Street.

FOR SALE—
100 acres farming land, South Saanich, well timbered. The Victoria & Saanich R.R. passes through the section.

FOR SALE—
250 acres of farming land (90 acres of which are prairie), South Saanich. The Victoria & Saanich R.R. has a station on one section.

FOR SALE—
253 acres, a farm on the coast of the North Saanich peninsula. A very fine piece of property.

All these properties will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Apply to
HEISTERMAN & CO.,
75 Government Street.

FOR SALE.

1 Lot Victoria West, clear, good soil, $225
1 Lot, Oak Bay Avenue $300
1 Lot, good soil, clear $200

You cannot afford to pay rent.

Two Houses on the instalment plan.

Good houses and well located; good garden.

1 Seaside Location at Oak Bay $350

These are the best offerings in the market.

APPLY W. D. McGREGOR,
OR J. E. CRANE & CO.
mr3-1m 30 Broad Street.

Scott's Emulsion

the cream of Cod-liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, is for
Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Weak Lungs, Consumption, Loss of Flesh, Emaciation, Weak Babies, Growing Children, Poor Mothers' Milk, Scrofula, Anæmia;
in fact, for all conditions calling for a quick and effective nourishment. *Send for Pamphlet. FREE.*
Scott & Bowne, Belleville. All Druggists. 50c. & $1.

SPECIAL.

LEANDER HALL, MEDIUM

NO. 90 DOUGLAS STREET.

Truthful in his predictions; reliable in his advice. If you are unhappy, or in trouble, consult him, and success and happiness will surely follow; he makes a success when others fail. The future plainly revealed. Lovers reunited and troubles healed; also develop those who are mediumistic. A medium by the gift of God. Parlors—7 and 8 Doane Block, No 90 Douglas street. mr21-m

Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—A suitable horse both for driving and riding; also a two-wheeled cart for same. Address X.Y.Z., Colonist office. ap17-2t

WANTED TO RENT—By a good tenant, modern house containing eight rooms and bathroom; must be conveniently situated, within 15 minutes walk of post office. Address Alpha, Colonist office. ap9 6t

TO LET OR LEASE.

TO LET—Neatly furnished front rooms, with use of kitchen if required. Apply at 139 Michigan street. ap10-1t

HOUSE TO RENT—Nine roomed house on block foundation, with spacious basement cellar; lot 55x124, on Upper Pandora st., house is nearly new. Apply to Pemberton & Son, Fort street. mr26

ROOMS AND BOARD for one or two gentlemen, within five minutes' walk from post office. Address C., Colonist office. mr5

TO LET—A nice cottage, 5 rooms and bath, $8 per month; also 3 cottages 4 rooms, $5.50; including water. Apply Alex. Sherk, corner Fernwood Road and Chatham street. mr20-1m

TO-LET—For single gentleman, two sunny rooms, sitting and bedroom, or bedroom and dressing room. Upper Fort street, on car line. Address R., this office mr19-1m

TO-LET—For the summer season or longer, the Maple Bay House, Maple Bay, with about 2 acres fruit bearing orchard, and 160 acres sheep run, if wanted. This is the finest and prettiest place on the Island for anyone seeking health or pleasure, nice beach, fine fishing, good shooting, etc. Apply at the Alderlea, Duncans, Wm. Beaumont. mr10tf

TO RENT—Seven-roomed modern house, all conveniences; one room rented to a doctor, which reduces rent; five minutes from post office. Apply to Heisterman & Co., 75 Government St. fe28-1mo

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished large front room, with bow window, on lower floor. Apply 66 Rae street. ja30-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Chrysanthemums, large double pink, strong shoots just ready for planting out, 75 cents per dozen; cash on delivery. Send orders Box 365. ap17-5t

FOR SALE—Fine corner residence, James Bay, first class for physician; cheap, and on easy terms. Address A.D., room 22 Vernon Block, Douglas street. mr26

FOR SALE—Eighty acres near McPherson's Station, 2 acres cleared, 7 or 8 acres slashed; chicken house and shed; very cheap at $150 Also 200 acres near Alberni Townsite at $8 per acre on easy terms, and 6 per cent interest. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas st.

FOR SALE—Sixty acres good land, all cleared; about 18 miles below Lillooet. Apply Tai Soong & Co., 40 Cormorant street. ap11-1m

RANCHING NEAR VICTORIA, $16 per acre will buy 700 acre farm, beautiful, desirable sea front, with excellent fishing and shooting; or will take partner with, say $1,500, to invest in stock raising. Apply Rancher, Box 773, Victoria, B. C. mr24-2m

TO BE SOLD within one month, 70 acres good farming land, 50 fenced and under crop, ½ mile frontage on Sooke river, with dwelling, outbuildings, furniture, tools, boat, fishing nets, 2 cows. For particulars address J. B. Johnson, 30 Humboldt street, or to J. Goodman, on the premises. mr19-1m

FOR SALE—A mare, road cart and harness; mare perfectly quiet, and goes under saddle; price $150. Further particulars apply A.B.G., this office. mr19-1m

FOR SALE—The Alderlea Hotel and outbuildings, also six lots, 60x120. The Alderlea is an old and well established hotel, and with the outbuildings, barns, etc., covers about 2 lots; the vacant lots are directly opposite the station at Duncan's, and the best site in Duncan's for a large store, or store and hotel, as they would catch nearly all railroad and passenger traffic. The owner has worked hard since 1862 and wants to retire. For terms etc., apply on the premises, to owner and proprietor, Wm. Beaumont. fe24

FOR SALE.

Forty acres in Lake District, on main road, about an hour's drive from town, and close to Victoria & Sidney Railway; the land is partly cleared, with good water, and nicely situated. This property will be sold cheap, either in bulk or in ten (10) acre pieces. Full information given.

MONEY TO LEND on good security.

SWINERTON & ODDY,
Accountants, Agents and Notaries Public,
110 Government street.
Telephone 491. P.O. Box 631.

MONEY TO LOAN—On Victoria Real Estate. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas st.

WANTED OFFERS.

For a set of **Six Original Oil Paintings** (landscapes), by A. H. VICHERS, Silver Medallist, Royal Academy, namely: Old Briggate Leeds, Windsor Castle, In Canterbury, England; Ruins of the Abby of Farleigh, Elstree, Hertfordshire; Bridge over the Courthey.

These are from a gentleman's private collection and are worth the attention of all lovers of good pictures. One of this series sold in England only recently for £75 or $375.

Sealed offers must be sent in on or before the 25th day of April next. On view at the Salerooms of

HERBERT CUTHBERT & CO.,
Fine Art Auctioneers,
34-36 Broad St. and 27 Trounce Ave. ap17

ARCHITECTS.

JOHN TEAGUE, ARCHITECT, CORNER of Broad street and Trounce avenue Established 1892. fel

BAKERS.

M. R. SMITH & CO.
Manufacturers of all kinds of Plain and Fancy Biscuits and Cakes, VICTORIA, B. C. fel

ADVERTISING AGENCY

L. P. FISHER, Newspaper Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco, is our authorized Agent. This paper is kept on file in his office. 168

DRESSMAKING.

DRESS AND MANTLE MAKING.
MRS. MARSHALL
has removed to No. 132 Vancouver street, where all who require dress and mantle making can have their garments made in the most fashionable style, and perfectly fitted. dec1-tf

FRENCH DRESSMAKING—Perfect fit, first class furnishings. 18 Blanchard street. mr24

ENGINEERS.

KEEFER & SMITH,
CIVIL AND HYDRAULIC ENGINEERS.
Rooms 44 and 45 Five Sisters Block, Government street, Victoria, B.C.
G. A. KEEFER, M.I.C.E. H. B. SMITH, M.I.C.E.

MUSICAL.

MRS. BRADLEY (10 years in Paris) is prepared to receive pupils for French lessons, and also intends commencing classes for French conversation at 25c. per lesson. Address 6 Douglas street. ap10-1m

MR. L. BRADLEY, Organist and Director of the Choir of the R.E. Church, receives pupils for piano, organ, singing, 'cello and theory lessons. New address, 6 Douglas street. ap 9-1m

MUSICAL CARD.

Mr. W. Edgar Buck, (formerly pupil of Manuel Garcia, London, Eng.,) Professor of Voice Culture and Singing, (Italian method), will receive a limited number of pupils during the months of April, May and June, at special rates, viz.: 1 lesson weekly, $5 per month; 2 lessons weekly, $8 per month; payable monthly. Apply Waitt's Music Store. mr24-1m

PIANOFORTE TUNING.

MR. A. F. OWEN,

Pianoforte Tuner, from J. & J. Hopkinson's, the well-known manufacturer of pianofortes, London, England; 12 years' experience. Particulars as to my ability may be had from the above firm; 3½ years with Goodwin & Co., Victoria. Orders left at Hibben's Bookstore and Waitt's Music Store. fe5

MADAME LAIRD,
TEACHER OF VOCAL MUSIC IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.
For terms apply at residence, 161 Vancouver street, corner Pandora. se30

PHOTOGRAPHERS.

MAYNARD'S ART STUDIO, 41 Pandora street. Dealers in all kinds of photographic material, views of British Columbia and Alaska.

Same Block—Maynard's Shoe and Finding Store, 41 Pandora street. Boots, Shoes, Leather and Shoe Findings. "K" boots a specialty. fel

PAINTERS AND PAPER HANGERS.

R. LETTICE — Dealer in Paints, Oils, varnish and window glass. Agent for Brilliant Sign Letter Co., and Aspenall's Enamel, 40 Fort street. mc17

SCAVENGERS.

ED. LINES, General Scavenger, 236 Yates street. Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Geo. Munroe, 59 Government street; Speed Bros., cor. Douglas and Fort; or Blair & Gordon, cor. Menzies and Michigan, will be promptly attended to. de3

BRIDGE CLOSED.

NOTICE is hereby given that Craigflower Bridge will be closed for repairs on and after Monday, the 15th instant.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C. 9th April, 1895.
ap12-2w-d&w

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

27th March, 1895.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor, under the provisions of the "Pharmacy Act, 1891," as amended by the "Pharmacy Act Amendment Act, 1895," has been pleased to appoint the following members of the Pharmaceutical Association of British Columbia, namely: T. M. HENDERSON, of the City of Victoria, CHARLES NELSON, of the City of Vancouver, and T. A. MUIR, of the City of New Westminster, Esquires, a Board of Examiners for the current year.

29th March, 1895.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, under the provisions of the "Dentistry Consolidation Act, 1895," has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned members a Board of Examiners to hold office for the several terms placed opposite their respective names, and until their successors have been duly appointed, namely:—

THOMAS J. JONES, of the City of Victoria, Esquire, L.D.S., for five years.

W. J. CURRIE, of the City of Nanaimo, Esquire, D.D.S., for four years.

A. J. HOLMES, of the City of New Westminster, Esquire, D.D.S., for three years.

C. H. GATEWOOD, of the City of Vancouver, Esquire, D.D.S., for two years.

ALBERT R. BAKER, of the City of Victoria, Esquire, D.D.S., for one year. ap12-1w

PUBLIC NOTICE:

The undersigned will make loans from $1 to $1,000 on any approved security.

VICTORIA LOAN OFFICE,
133 Government Street.
Private entrance on Pandora Street. oct8

GEO. A. SARGISON
NOTARY PUBLIC,
Accountant & Agent,
48 LANGLEY ST.

NOTICES.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

March, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on and after 1st April next, all persons sending advertisements for publication in "The British Columbia Gazette" are required to observe the following rules:

1st. Address "The British Columbia Gazette," or "The Queen's Printer," Victoria, B.C.

2nd. Indicate the number of insertions.

3rd. Invariably remit the fees for such advertisements, according to the following scale of charges, otherwise they will not be inserted, viz:

For 100 words and under	$ 5 00
Over 100 words and not exceeding 150 words	6 50
Over 150 words and not exceeding 200 words	8 00
Over 200 words and not exceeding 250 words	
Over 250 words and not exceeding 300 words	10
And for every additional 50 words, 75 cents.	
Municipal by laws, requiring only one insertion, to be at one-half the above rates	
Advertisements in tabular form will be charged double the above rates.	

The above scale of charges will cover the cost of four insertions. Over four insertions, 50 extra for each insertion.

Notice is also hereby further given that all persons in arrear for advertising in the Gazette are peremptorily required to pay the amount of their indebtedness on or before the 30th June, 1895.

All cheques or money orders to be made payable to Richard Wolfenden, Queen's Printer, Victoria, B.C.

All parties applying for official documents are required to remit payment for the same, in advance, according to the following scale:

Consolidated Acts, 1888	per vol.	$6 00
Unconsolidated Acts, 1883	"	4 00
Yearly Statutes (¼ sheep)	"	2 50
Sessional Papers	"	2 00
Journals of Legislative Assembly	"	1 50
Departmental Reports	"	50
Municipal Acts	each	50
Mineral or Placer Mining Acts	"	25
Land Acts	"	25
All other Acts	"	12½
Yearly subscription to Gazette		5 00
Single copies		12½

JAMES BAKER,
mr28-1m Provincial Secretary.

Victoria City, Victoria, Esquimalt and Coast Districts.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Act are now due for the year 1895. All of the above-named taxes collectible within the Electoral Districts of Victoria City, Victoria, Esquimalt and Coast Districts, are payable at my office.

Assessed Taxes are collectible at the following rates, viz.:

If paid on or before June 30th, 1895—

One-half of one per cent. on real property
Two per cent. on wild land.
One-third of one per cent. on personal property.
One-half of one per cent. on income.

If paid after June 30th, 1895—

Two-thirds of one per cent. on real property.
Two and one-half per cent. on wild land.
One-half of one per cent. on personal property.
Three-fourths of one per cent. on income.

Provincial Revenue Tax, $3.00 per capita (Victoria City excepted).

CORNELIUS BOOTH,
Assessor and Collector.
January, 2nd, 1895. mr26-1m

[L.S.] E. DEWDNEY.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the Cowichan-Alberni Electoral District:

WHEREAS, a vacancy has happened in the Legislative Assembly, by the acceptance of office of the Honourable Theodore Davie, Q.C., a member for the Cowichan-Alberni Electoral District, we command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause Election to be made according to law, of one member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the Cowichan-Alberni Electoral District, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on the ....day of....next, and do cause the name of such Member when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the 7th day of May, next, the election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia. WITNESS: The Honourable Edgar Dewdney, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the nineteenth day of March, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

By command,
HARVEY COMBE,
mr22 Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court.

PAPER CUTTER KNIVES

and KNIVES OF PLANING MACHINES up to 60 inches in length can be ground on an AUTOMATIC KNIFE GRINDING MACHINE in the Engine Room of The Colonist Office.

NOTICES.

No. 144.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OF A FOREIGN COMPANY.

"COMPANIES' ACT," PART IV.

"The Cariboo Gold Fields, Limited" (Foreign).

Registered the 26th day of March, 1895.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day registered "The Cariboo Gold fields, Limited" (Foreign), under the "Companies' Act, Part IV., Registration of Foreign Companies," and amending acts.

The head office of the said Company is situated in England.

The objects for which the Company is established are:

(1.) To adopt and carry into effect, with or without modification, an agreement dated the 21st day of November, 1894, and made between the Whittier Gold Concessions, Limited, of the one part, and William Wigzell Elwood, on behalf of the Company, of the other part:

(2.) To acquire from any Sovereign, State or authority, supreme, local or otherwise, any concessions, grants, decrees, rights or privileges whatsoever which may seem to the Company capable of being turned to account, and to work, develop, carry out, exercise, and turn to account the same:

(3.) To purchase or otherwise acquire, sell, exchange, deal in, and turn to account property and rights of all kinds, and in particular lands, buildings, mines, mining rights, water rights, concessions, patents, licenses, and business concerns and undertakings:

(4.) To carry on the business of miners and metallurgists, and in particular to search for, win, get, mine, quarry, crush, smelt, wash, roast, dress, refine, prepare for market, buy, sell, and deal in ores, minerals, and metallic substances and compounds of all kinds:

(5.) To purchase or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of the business, property, rights and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property or rights suitable for the purpose of this Company:

(6.) To construct, carry out and maintain, work, manage or control works and conveniences of all kinds, both public and private, in particular roads, ditches, flumes, ground-sluices, tunnels, shafts, stamping or smelting works, warehouses, electric and other lighting works, stores and other buildings:

(7.) To purchase or hire wagons, engines and other plant and machinery of every description which may, directly or indirectly, be conducive to any of the Company's objects, and to contribute to and take part in the construction, working, maintaining and managing of any such works and conveniences:

(8.) To enter into partership, or into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, co-operation, amalgamation, or otherwise, with any person or company carrying on, or about to carry on or engage in, any business which this Company is authorized to carry on, or any business or transaction which may seem capable of being carried on or conducted so as, directly or indirectly, to benefit this Company, with power to accept shares (either wholly or partly paid up) or debentures in other companies as consideration for the above, and to hold, sell or otherwise dispose of such shares and debentures, as may be deemed fit:

(9.) To receive money on deposit, at interest or otherwise, and to lend money, and in particular to customers of and persons having dealings with the Company, and to guarantee the performance of contracts by members of or persons having dealings with the Company,

(10.) To borrow, or raise, or secure the payment of money in such manner as the Company shall think fit, and in particular by the issue of debentures or debenture stock, perpetual or otherwise, charged upon all or any of the Company's property (both present and future, including its uncalled capital:

(11.) To draw, make, accept, indorse, discount, execute and issue promissory notes, bills of exchange, bills of lading, warrants, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments:

(12.) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required in or upon such securities, and in such manner as may from time to time be determined:

(13.) To sell the undertaking of the Company, or any part thereof, for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, and upon any such sale to divide the net produce thereof, or of part thereof, whether in cash, shares, or debentures, as the Company may determine, ratably amongst the members of the Company:

(14.) To exercise and obtain the benefit of the powers contained in and conferred by "The Companies' Seals Act, 1864":

(15.) To do all or any of the above things in any part of the world, and as principals, agents, contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and by or through trustees, agents, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others:

(16.) To do all such things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects.

The capital stock of the said Company is one hundred thousand pounds sterling, divided into one hundred thousand shares of one pound each.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 26th day of March, 1895.

[L.S.] S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.
ap10-1m

In the Matter of the British Columbia Pottery & Terra Cotta Company, Limited Liability.

Notice is hereby given that by an order made by the Supreme Court of British Columbia in the above matter, dated the 9th day of April, 1895, it was ordered that the above-named Company should be wound up under the provisions of the Winding Up Act, and by a further order of the said Court dated the 10th day of April, 1895, it was ordered that Arnold Foster Barham be provisional liquidator of the affairs of the said Company.

Notice is also hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the said Company will be held in the Chamber Court at the Court House, Victoria, on Friday, the 19th day of April, 1895, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of ascertaining the wishes of the said creditors as to carrying on the works of the Company with a view to effecting a sale thereof as a going concern, and for the appointment of a liquidator.

The mode of preliminary proof of any creditor's claim for the purpose of the meeting, shall be by filing an affidavit as to the same with the undersigned at 44 Government street, before 12 o'clock noon, on Friday, the 19th April, 1895.

Dated the 10th day of April, 1895.

A. F. BARHAM,
Provisional Liquidator.

Note.—All debts due to the said Company are to be paid to the Provisional Liquidator, at his office, 44 Government street, Victoria, B.C. ap12-5t

NOTICE—DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, as Fish Canners and Traders, under the firm name of the "Namu Canning and Trading Company, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Robert Draney will continue the business and receive all moneys due to, and pay all debts due by the late partnership.

Dated, Victoria, 4th April, 1895.

THOS. SHOTBOLT,
ROBT. DRANEY.
Witness—W. H. JESSE. ap6-1m

DRAUGHT HORSES

FOR SALE.

A splendid lot of 5 and 6-year-old Geldings and Mares, weighing from 1300 to 1600 pounds each. Thoroughly broken to farm work. On view in Trounce Alley, Vancouver. . . . . .

W. D. BURDIS,
Agent for the Canadian Agricultural Company, Calgary. . . .

THE COLVILLE INDIANS.

Details of Former Depredations by the Reds of the Kootenay River.

A Question for International Consideration—The Legislative Resolution on the Subject.

The recent trouble with the Colville Indians at the Kootenay Reclamation Co.'s works is only one of a series of similar disturbances extending over a period of nine years. The Colvilles are American Indians, under the jurisdiction of the U.S. authorities, and the question of their repeated depredations is an international one pure and simple. Their pretended claim to trapping and hunting rights on the Columbia north of the boundary amounts to nothing. In 1887, S. B. Crowle, a settler, had trouble with these Indians; they stole all his vegetables, implements and household effects, and finally ordered him to leave. His meadows were particularly good beaver grounds. In 1890, Evan Johnson took up land on the Northeast Arm and had repeated trouble with the same Indians, who claimed his land on some ridiculous pretext. One day he shot a cariboo, which swam across the Arm, where it was immediately appropriated by four Indians. In due time they came with a piece of the cariboo meat and were very indignant because Johnson would not give them a dollar for it.

Four years ago a settler with all his effects was left by the steamer at Fire Valley. The next spring he was not to be found, nor has he ever been heard of since. As some of the most vicious Indians had been in that locality it is presumed he was murdered by them. In 1893 Samuel Hill took up 160 acres on Upper Arrow Lake. For a year he had no trouble; then an Indian known as "Cultus Jim" came, and at the point of his rifle ordered Hill to leave, for the simple reason that the noise from his chopping frightened the game from the Indian's traps. This of course Hill refused to do. Jim threatened to kill him and Hill left for reinforcements, at the same time sending a message to the government agent at Revelstoke. On their return the Indian was wild with rage and rushed for his gun, which his squaw had in readiness. As he raised it to fire, Hill did the same, and being the quicker brought "Cultus Jim" to the earth. Indian runners were at once sent out to tell the news and threats were made that if Hill was not hanged they would kill him at sight. He went to Revelstoke and has never dared to return.

These incidents show the temper of these Colville Indians, and it is easy to realize how the settlers in that section feel. The provincial legislature at its last session passed the following preamble and resolution introduced by Mr. Hume, M.P.P. for Southern Kootenay:

"That whereas, owing to custom, the Indians of the State of Washington, in the United States, do annually come into British Columbia and hunt along the Columbia river and Arrow lakes, and by so doing exclude the Indians of Kootenay, in British Columbia, from following the chase in those parts of the province above mentioned; And whereas there are known cases of the maltreating of settlers along said river and lakes; Be it therefore resolved, that an humble address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, praying him to move the Dominion government to take such steps as may be deemed advisable with the United States government to exclude these Indians from crossing the international boundary."

As a session of the Dominion parliament is to be held soon it is probable that the subject dealt with in this resolution will receive attention. Meantime the provincial authorities will take all possible precaution to prevent any further trouble.

THE NEW CIRCUIT.

Mr. Mark Drumm Explains the Part It Will Play in the Theatrical Affairs of the Northwest.

Victoria theatre-goers will be interested in the announcement that a company has recently been organized, with headquarters at Portland, Ore., which contemplates promoting theatrical enterprises on the Coast on a large scale. It is to be known as the Pacific Theatre Association and will control a considerable proportion of the better class of attractions coming to the Northwest. The association has secured control of the Marquam Grand opera house at Portland and the Tacoma, Seattle and Vancouver theatres, all of which will be under the direct management of Calvin S. Heilig, the manager for the association, which will have an Eastern representative who will book for the circuit all of the high class combinations contemplating a Western tour, and all of these companies will visit Victoria under an arrangement between Manager Jamieson and the association.

Mark Drumm, a representative of the association, arrived in the city last evening by the Kingston to make arrangements for the coming of the Frawley Stock Company, the first attraction to appear here under the auspices of the association. In conversation last evening with reference to the new enterprise Mr. Drumm said:

"The Pacific Theatre Association is the outgrowth primarily of a desire of the theatre owners on the circuit to put other houses on a basis calculated to give better returns on the money invested. Heretofore an Eastern manager has been unable to book more than one theatre in the Northwestern circuit with the same manager and then often at terms very unsatisfactory. By reason of a number of managers having control of the houses on the circuit dates were found to conflict, and this and innumerable other inconveniences incident to such a condition of affairs have kept many of the better attractions from coming to the Northwest.

"Under the new arrangement all dates will be booked with Mr. Heilig direct through the association's Eastern agent. The companies will have no occasion to fear the clashing of dates, they will be assured of a longer season on the circuit, will be able to get better terms by reason of the centralization of authority, and the cities of the Northwest will be given an opportunity to see the very best companies that travel."

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MR. WILLIAM WILSON'S FIGURES.

To the Editor:—If it is true that figures do not lie, perhaps Mr. William Wilson will be good enough to prove from the following quotations from Bradstreet's summary for 1883 and 1894, in what respect the United States enjoyed these two years, a greater degree of prosperity than did the Dominion of Canada.

I may explain that the word "failures" in this letter refers to mercantile establishments, banks and loan companies, and does not include railways. Also, that the figures for Canada are for Canada alone, and do not include Newfoundland as Mr. Wilson's did.

In 1893 there were 16,158 failures in the United States, with gross liabilities of $572,723,496 In Canada for the same period there were 1,766 failures, with gross liabilities of $14,763,404.

In 1894 there were 12,799 failures in the United States, with gross liabilities of $165,078,334 In Canada for the same period there were 1,851 failures, with gross liabilities of $17,735,283

Now, take Mr. Wilson's own estimate of the proportion Canada's population bears to that of the United States—viz., as five to sixty-five (although five to sixty would be nearer the mark)—multiply the gross liabilities of Canada's failures in the years 1893 and 1894, as given above, viz., $32,498,687, by thirteen and you have as a result $422,482,931, which is the amount the gross liabilities of the Canadian failures would have been, in the same proportion to what they actually were, if Canada's population were the same as that of the United States. This calculation brings the two countries on a par, so that a proper and fair comparison can be made, and shows the ratio to be as $422,482 931 (for Canada) is to $737,801,830 (for the United States), or roughly speaking, as four is to seven in Canada's favor. And this substantiates Mr. McPhillips' statement that there was a much greater degree of prosperity in Canada in the years 1893 and 1894 than existed in the United States—a statement which, so far as my recollection goes, no statistician in either Canada or the United States had ventured to contradict until Mr. Wilson took the matter up.

I also beg to point out that in the United States figures above given, the railway foreclosures (clearly failures) have not been included. These foreclosures as reported in Bradstreet's were $79,924,000 in 1893, and $318,999,000 in 1894, making a total for the two years of $398,923,000. As a further comparison, add this total to the total mercantile and bank failures for 1893 and 1894 as given above, and compare with Canada's total, which shows a ratio of $422,482,931 to $1,136,724,830, or, roughly speaking, as four is to eleven in Canada's favor.

A. Stewart Potts.

Victoria, B C, April 17, 1895.

"MR. WILSON'S LITTLE PLANS."

To the Editor:—That Mr. William Wilson possesses ability many will admit; that he is insincere, there are few who will gainsay. So ingrained, have the habits of sophistry and plausible joking become to him that they now form the second nature of the man; and those who know him best are ever watchful for the ulterior motive or joke underlying his arguments, even when advanced with an apparent earnestness.

Full appreciation should therefore be given to Mr. Wilson's distinctive traits when considering any matter brought forward by him, and it will require but very little discernment to disclose the mental grin which possessed Mr. Wilson when he attempted to get the board of trade to saddle Messrs. Earle and Prior, whom he opposes, with an impolitic resolution.

Mr. Wilson's funny by-play was good and enjoyable from an artistic point of view, but the board of trade considered that their meeting was not the proper place for practical jokes, and that the expressed wishes of the promoters of the British Pacific railway should not be played havoc with by the funny man. The members of the board accordingly gave such an expression of adverse opinion that Mr. Wilson, to obviate an unanimous defeat, withdrew his resolution.

The correctness of the statistics furnished by Mr. Wilson, and the comparative financial positions of Canada and the United States, were neither endorsed nor questioned by the board; and the wide scope of discussion which has arisen on these matters is quite irrevelant to the question before the board, which was, "Should Messrs. Earle and Prior be asked by the board to formulate certain demands upon the Ottawa government?" There were no two minds on the subject (if we eliminate the funny one), as it was unanimously considered best to be guided by the views of the promoters of the British Pacific railway.

When the matter had been disposed of by the board, good taste would have impelled Mr. Wilson to drop it, but he has seen fit to attempt to place the board on trial through the press; and he and other political opponents of Messrs. Earle and Prior have attempted to make political capital against these representatives for having assisted in thwarting Mr. Wilson's little plans.

Your correspondent "Business" correctly states the case when he says that the views expressed by Messrs. Earle and Prior were the very general views of those present; and any criticism thereof should be directed towards the Board of Trade as a body. The board has to congratulate itself on having exposed the "practical joker" and for not having allowed itself to be committed to a resolution which the quoted expressions of the promoters of the British Pacific railway showed to be undesirable in the interest of that enterprise.

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The undersigned would commend the Depot to all charitably disposed persons as an object most worthy of their practical support.

JOHN TEAGUE, Mayor.

Victoria, January 26, 1895. ja27

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893," as Amended by the "Fire Insurance Policy Amendment Act, 1895."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to Secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance" from the 1st day of April, 1895, to the 1st day of July, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
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PARLIAMENT OPENED.

The Parliament of the Dominion opens today. It is said that the session will be short—that nothing but what is absolutely necessary will be done. It is very difficult to say how long a session may be. Many things may happen to cause it to be longer than even the members of the Government expect. Parliament is, in practice, as to the length of the session its own master.

The most important mateer before the country just now is the Manitoba school question, and no doubt a good part of the time will be taken up with its discussion. The position occupied by the Government with regard to it is well known, but the Leader of the Opposition has of late been as dumb as an oyster on the subject. He cannot maintain this singular silence much longer. He will be obliged to speak when the Speech from the Throne is discussed. He will have to get rid of his convenient "if" when he rises to speak on the subject in the House of Commons. It is perhaps too much to expect that he will express himself frankly and definitely. It will be very difficult for him to candidly commend the course which the Government has taken, but it will be even harder and more embarrassing for him to condemn that course. If he adopts the policy which the chief newspaper organ of the Liberal party has outlined for him, his language will in effect be, "This is a hard question, come let us shirk it." Not long ago Mr. Laurier twitted the Government about their silence and their indecision on the Manitoba school question. Since then the tables have been completely turned. It is the Leader of the Opposition who is now silent and undecided, while the Government, ever since the time for action came, have been outspoken on the subject and have pursued the course they saw fit to take firmly and unfalteringly. Something perhaps will be done during the session towards receiving Newfoundland into the Confederation, but it seems to us that the negotiations are not yet far enough advanced to permit of this being done. It will have to be found how the people of Newfoundland feel on the subject before any decided step can be taken.

The patriotic Grits are, we see, in great glee at the prospect of a serious deficit at the end of the year. Although they know perfectly well that the Government are not in the least to blame because the revenue has been less than the expenditure, they fully expect that they will be able during the session and after it closes to manufacture capital for their party out of the prospective deficit. They may, however, be mistaken. It is more than likely that as time advances they will find that they have so much to do in defending their own policy and their own actions that they will have neither the time nor the inclination to use the unavoidable deficit as a weapon against the Government.

There can be no doubt that the session, whether long or short, will be a very important one. Much, very much, depends on the way in which Sir Mackenzie Bowell's Government acquit themselves. We feel confident that they will pursue a course both patriotic and judicious, and that at its close they will be in a position to appeal to the country with a good record and confident of success.

YESTERDAY'S ELECTIONS.

The result of the bye-elections will be a surprise to those who believed, or affected to believe, that the constituencies in which the majority is Catholic would be certain to return supporters of the Government. The very opposite has been the case. Antigonish and Vercheres have elected Liberals. Vercheres has been for many years a Liberal constituency and Antigonish was Liberal until it returned Sir John Thompson. It has now, we see, gone back to its first love. Both these constituencies have shown that the Liberals, who in Ontario and elsewhere declared that "of course they would support the Government which is trying to force separate schools on Manitoba," had grossly miscalculated.

The result in Haldimand has been a sore blow and a great discouragement to those who believed that it was easy to stir up religious strife in most of the counties of Ontario. Mr. Dalton McCarthy was evidently of this opinion. The candidate who opposed the Secretary of State was his candidate, and he did his very best personally to secure his return. He stumped the county for him, and he prevailed upon "Fighting Joe Martin" and Mr. Sifton, the Attorney-General of Manitoba, to travel all the way from Manitoba to Haldimand to help to return his candidate, and thus show the Dominion and the rest of the world that Ontario disapproves of what the Government has done in the matter of the Manitoba schools. But Mr. McCarthy's candidate has been almost contemptuously rejected by the Ontario constituency that was appealed to to condemn the Government. The rebuff that has been administered to Mr. McCarthy must surprise those who believed that he has become a power in the land. Had a Quebec constituency returned a supporter or a member of the Government with such a sweeping majority the McCarthyites would raise a fearful outcry. They would, wherever they could get a hearing, declare that it was a terrible example of Catholic ascendency, and they would assert in the loudest tones and in the most impressive manner that the Protestant religion is in danger. But when it is a Protestant constituency in the Protestant Province of Ontario which gives a member of the Government this magnificent majority, the astonishment of the sowers of religious discord must be unbounded, and so must be their disappointment and chagrin. The results of the bye-elections have, in three of the constituencies, been exactly the opposite of what they predicted.

THE NEWFOUNDLAND NEGOTIATORS.

The delegates from Newfoundland appear to have had a pleasant time in Ottawa. They have been warmly welcomed by the Government and by the citizens. Every attention has been paid them, and it will be singular if they do not take away with them an exceedingly good impression of Canada and Canadians.

Very little has been heard of the negotiations that have been going on, but the indications are that neither the representatives of the Dominion nor those of Newfoundland have found any very great difficulties in the way of union.

The negotiators know that they must be careful, for the terms they agree upon must be such as will meet with general approval both in the Dominion and in Newfoundland. It seems to us that Canadians will readily agree to any terms that are within the bounds of reason. The people of Canada do not appear disposed to drive a hard bargain with the Newfoundlanders, but there are indications that the Newfoundlanders expect more from Canada than its people will feel disposed to give.

There is in the old colony a party which is strongly opposed to union with the Dominion. This party is not composed of the scum of the colony, as some of the injudicious advocates of confederation would have us believe. There are in it respectable and intelligent men, who are naturally indisposed to give up the independence they have enjoyed so long. They no doubt place an undue, and what Canadians generally would consider an unreasonable, value on their independence, but to belittle them and to abuse them is no way to show them that if their province was part of the Dominion they would, to all intents and purposes, be quite as independent as they are now. Allowances should be made for an isolated people, for they have generally a strong prejudice in favor of isolation, and it is difficult to prove to them that they would feel quite as happy and every bit as free as they do now if they threw in their lot with the provinces of the Dominion. There are in the colony zealous anti-confederates who believe it to be their duty to do all they can to oppose union with the Dominion, and there are others quite as zealous who consider that it is their interest, personal and political, to throw every possible obstacle in the way of confederation. These people have to be reckoned with. The more kindly they are treated and the more delicately they are handled, the less effective will their opposition be. It would be foolish in the extreme to give any of them cause to pose before their fellow-countrymen as martyrs in the cause of independence. This they will be sure to do if the slightest pretext is afforded them.

No terms that Canada can offer will be considered sufficient by the anti-confederates. Their first move will be to try to convince the people of Newfoundland that they have been betrayed and sold by the delegates, and this without regard to the terms which those delegates have been able to negotiate. They will counsel their immediate rejection, or if they find that hopeless they will do their best to incite the people to ask for more. It will be folly to attempt to satisfy them. Every concession they gain will be made the ground of a new demand.

If the Dominion Government at first offer Newfoundland as good terms as they can in justice to the different Provinces of the Dominion, and then leave it for the Newfoundlanders to accept or reject them as they see fit, with the clear understanding that those are the best terms that can be offered, the opposition to Confederation will not, we venture to say, be very fierce or very stubborn. It will not take the people long if they are let alone to find out that they will be better off in the Dominion than out of it. The opposition to Confederation will become less and less formidable, and even the anti-Confederates will gladly accept terms which when they were first offered were rejected with scorn. There need be no hurry; the Government of Canada can better afford to wait than the people of Newfoundland.

A DOCTORS' DICTUM.

Not long ago some doctors of good repute took it into their heads to denounce kissing. Kissing, they said, has a tendency to spread disease. Deadly microbes make the lips of children and of lovely women their home, and the breath of the most kissable creatures in creation is at times laden with the germs of disease. Thus an attempt was made by a few of the doctors to create a prejudice against kissing. They may have been very old or they may have been envious of the happiness of kissers, or they may have been the victims of a mischievous fad.

Their dictum against osculation had no doubt some effect upon timid and nervous people, but there were many warm-hearted and emotional persons of both sexes and all ages who continued to kiss in spite of all that the doctors could say. The habit with them had become inveterate. They could not leave it off if they were ever so much inclined to do so. They found themselves kissing those they loved before they had time to think of the warning uttered by the doctors.

But these soft-hearted and impetuous people will be in their glory now. A physician has lately found out that kissing is conducive to health, that the habit aids in the dissemination of microbes that help digestion and consequently it promotes cheerfulness. This discovery lets us into the secret of the healthiness and the unfailing good humor of those who are given to much kissing. Kissing is their medicine and the more they take of it the better they are. Our readers have no doubt observed that bilious and dyspeptic persons are not fond of kissing, and a great many of them are not in the least kissable. Is this the cause of their disease, or a consequence of it?

The man who discovered the microbe of the kiss is a benefactor of the human race. His name is A. E. Bridger and he lives in England. We expect to hear before long that he is the most popular man in the world.

THE BEST PAVING MATERIAL.

Experiments have been made in St. Paul, Minnesota, to find out which is the best material for paving. It appears that the investigators at their first consultation rejected wood. Wood, as a material for pavements, they declare, has been tried and found wanting. They have, too, come to the conclusion that, no matter what the paving material may be, a solid, indestructible road-bed is the first essential of a good roadway, whether in town or country. Without a firm and unyielding road-bed no matter what the material on the surface may be it is impossible to have a good road. The plank foundation for a road they, with one voice, pronounce to be a delusion and a snare.

The committee agreed that concrete made the best road-bed. The only room for choice of paving material was, in their opinion, between granite blocks, vitrified bricks, and asphalt. These three materials have been used in American cities, and they all have a good character. The cheapest of them is found to be bricks. They are made specially for pavements and have been found to answer the purpose very well. They have been tried in Detroit, Kansas City, Des Moines, and elsewhere. "They make," says the St. Paul Pioneer Press, "a smooth and handsome pavement. So far they give evidence of durability; but they have not been sufficiently tested to justify any positive conclusion." The granite blocks make a smooth and durable pavement, but it is very expensive and seems, except where the traffic is very heavy indeed, to be needlessly solid. The St. Paul investigators gave the preference to asphalt. They say that it is nearly as durable as granite, it has a smooth surface, is easily kept clean, and it is noiseless.

There is just now an exhibition of paving material in St. Paul, and those interested in the improvement of the city go to see it and to hear all that can be said about the advantages and disadvantages of the different kinds of pavement. This is a matter in which the citizens of Victoria should feel interested, for the streets of their city are in urgent need of improvement.

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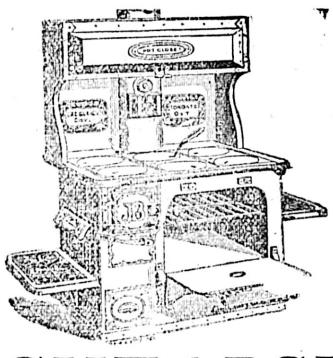

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NOTICE.

An extraordinary general meeting of the Quesnelle Quartz Mining Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's office Quesnelle, B.C., on THURSDAY, THE 25th DAY OF APRIL, 1895, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of dealing with a proposition received from an English Syndicate, particulars of which will then be placed before the meeting.

By order.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Secretary.
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MEETINGS.

NOTICE.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the British Columbia Southern Railway Company will be held at 45 Fort street, Victoria, B.C., on Monday, the twenty-ninth day of April, A.D. 1895, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the election of directors and the transation of business generally.
mr26-td J. A. GEMMILL, Secretary.

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THE CITY.

THE Easter vestry meeting of the Church of the Holy Saviour is to be held next Monday evening.

THE Degree of Honor lodge of the A.O.U.W. intend holding a ball in their hall on Yates street on the evening of May 24.

TENDERS for the construction of a new bridge on the Gorge road are invited by City Clerk Dowler up to the 25th inst.

THE ladies of the W.C.T.U. are invited to an At Home at the residence of Mrs. Dempster, Fernwood road, this afternoon.

FRAWLEY'S stock company, after a successful tour of the Sound cities, will appear at The Victoria on the evenings of April 24 and 25.

AN adjourned meeting of the B.C. Board of Trade will be held to-morrow afternoon to receive the report of the special committee on the powers of the council.

IT is expected that a balance of about $50 will remain in hand after all expenses have been defrayed in connection with the concert of the Ladies' Association of St. Barnabas church, given on Tuesday evening.

SERGEANT HAWTON furnished the only important case in the police court yesterday, charging Joe, a Chinaman, with the theft of a big roller from Hales & Bell. Magistrate Macrae found Joe guilty, and three months with hard labor was the sentence recorded.

A GENERAL committee of delegates from the various I.O.O.F. lodges of the city met last evening to arrange preliminaries in connection with a church parade. It is expected that the date will be fixed as Sunday, the 28th instant, the anniversary of the order falling upon the 26th.

THREE unruly boys of Victoria West have been summoned at the instance of the city school trustees to appear in the city police court on Saturday morning to answer to the serious charge of wickedly and maliciously damaging school property and for printing obscene language and pictures on the school premises.

A JOYOUS company assembled at the home of Mr. R. B. Andrews, Yates street, last evening, to witness the marriage of Miss Andrews to Mr. Horace J. Knott, contractor, of this city. Rev. S. Cleaver, of the Metropolitan Methodist church, performed the ceremony, while Miss McGillivray supported the bride and Mr. Wm. Moon the groom.

TO MORROW (Friday) evening, in the drill hall, at 8 o'clock, will be held the annual business meeting of the Victoria Garrison Artillery Rifle Association. All members of the local companies are welcome. As there are good prospects of an active season those wishing to take part will help the committee considerably by attending and handing in their names. It is the object of the association to encourage "young shots," and for this purpose the members will be divided into classes.

HARRY C. GOOD is under arrest at Seattle for shooting a policeman on Monday last. Constables Glasscock and West saw Good, who was under the influence of liquor, leaning against a fence at 1 o'clock in the morning, and as they approached Good shouted to them to stand back, and then opened fire from a 32 calibre revolver. Four shots were fired, two missing and the others wounding Glasscock in the hip and left arm. Good was a clerk in Cooper & Levy's grocery in Seattle and was well known in Victoria.

ALD. MACMILLAN has given notice that he will move at the next city council meeting that the resolution re city engineers, entered on the minutes of March 26 as having passed the council, be reconsidered and rescinded. At the meeting in question the city clerk was not present, and the minutes were taken down by a member of the council. Ald. Macmillan moved that the city engineers be notified that the present arrangement with them would be discontinued on May 1; an amendment to this was voted down and the motion carried, but the minutes make it appear as if the main motion was not voted on. It is to straighten this out that Ald. Macmillan has taken the present action, for the minutes having been adopted, the only correct way is to reconsider the resolution as it appears in the minutes, and then to put the proper motion anew.

THE position of city librarian has after all not been filled. On Tuesday night after four ballots were taken on the names of the sixty applicants, the result as read out was in favor of Mr. H. Goward with five votes out of nine. On a second examination of the ballot papers yesterday morning, it was discovered that in reality Mr. Goward and Mr. Jewell had tied with four votes each. The error occurred no doubt through the Mayor making a mistake in reading out the ballots on Tuesday night. When he discovered his mistake yesterday, he decided to bring the matter up at Friday night's meeting of the council. The ballot papers are still intact, having been put away for safe keeping on Tuesday night, so that the balloting can proceed just where it left off then. This is the method that the Mayor intends to adopt to straighten out the tangle.

AT an early hour yesterday morning the residence of Capt. G. W. Dillon on Elford street, Foul Bay, was destroyed by fire. The first known of it in town was an alarm sent in by telephone. Chief Deasy drove out to Foul Bay, but as the house was isolated and it would have been only a useless run for the department horses none of the apparatus was ordered out. The fire started in a defective chimney which was built on "stilts" in the kitchen. The bricks becoming loosened in some way left cracks in the mortar through which sparks had escaped into the house. The neighbors helped to save what furniture was possible and Capt. Dillon attempted to get water from the house well when the fire was first discovered. The bucket rope broke, however, and so no water could be had. The house is practically a total loss, the damage being estimated at $1,000 on the house and $400 on the furniture. There was $800 insurance on the furniture in the Sun, J. D. Pemberton & Son, agents.

THE gift of $1 from E.L.M. for the Mrs. Law relief fund is acknowledged with thanks.

SEMPLE'S hall, Craigflower road, is to be the scene of another mask ball on the evening of the 25th instant.

THE meeting of the Single Tax Club was, as usual, well attended last night, and besides short addresses music helped to make the evening pass pleasantly.

NO FURTHER information concerning the wreck of the schooner Dart off Carmanah Point has been received. The general supposition is that she was blown ashore while the crew were absent from the vessel hunting.

THE Y.M.C.A. rooms were tastily decorated last night for the members' reception given by the Epworth League of the Metropolitan church. The rooms were crowded, and an excellent programme was rendered, the chief features of which were solos by Mrs. Mifflin and Mr. P. C. L. Harris. After the programme refreshments of ice cream, lemonade and cake were served. The League are to be congratulated on the success of the evening.

A DELIGHTFUL evening will surely be spent by all who attend the James Bay Athletic Association ball at the A.O.U.W. hall to-night. The committee having the matter in charge have made careful preparation and the event promises to be a decided success. The hall and supper room have been handsomely decorated; Finn's orchestra will furnish the music, and the supper will be under the direction of the ladies, which makes further comment unnecessary. By an oversight the name of Mr. W. Ralph Higgins was omitted from the floor committee, previously published.

THE second performance of Il Trovatore drew another large and appreciative audience to The Victoria yesterday evening, and gave unqualified satisfaction. The principals were all in admirable voice, Mr. Aspland being heard to even better advantage than in the opening night, while his forceful acting called forth many expressions of appreciation. The staging, chorus and orchestral direction, scenic effects and dancing were fully up to the high standard set on Tuesday evening, and the performance ran smoothly and evenly throughout. The third and last performance of Il Trovatore will be given at Saturday's matinee.

PERSONAL.

Forbes Henry, of Chicago, is at the Driard.

H. Solomon, of New York, is at the Driard.

Major C. T. Dupont arrived home by the Charmer last night.

Paymaster E. C. Webb, of H. M. S. Nymphe, is a guest at the Driard.

A. J. McInnes came over from the Sound by the City of Kingston last evening.

Mrs. J. C. Foot and family returned last evening from a visit to the Mainland.

Barrister W. H. Whittaker, of Kamloops, is in the city on legal business.

Hewitt Bostock returned from the Mainland by yesterday evening's Charmer.

Capt. John Irving, M.P.P., returned from the Mainland by last Evening's steamer.

M. Sullivan, of Kamloops, arrived by the Charmer last evening and is staying at the Dallas.

Henry Bicks and wife, Gerald M. Bicks and E. W. Morrise, of Montreal, are at the Driard.

Mark Drumn, the well known theatrical manager, of Portland, is registered at the Driard.

H. J. Worsnop and R. T. Cooper were passengers to Victoria by last night's Vancouver boat.

Adjutant Archibald, of the Salvation Army, returned last evening from a visit to the Mainland.

Mrs. W. L. and Miss Cusack were passengers from San Francisco by the Walla Walla last evening.

J. H. Gaerdes and J. B. Gordon were passengers from San Francisco by the direct steamer yesterday.

W. E. and Mrs. Lawler and son, of Trinidad, Col., and Charles and Mrs. Farnsworth, of Colorado Springs, are among the guests at the Hotel Driard.

J. McIntosh, wife and children, Kamloops; M. Sullivan, Mrs. Partsch, San Francisco, and H. F. Tompkins and wife, are guests at the Dallas hotel.

H. F. Brown and wife and Miss F. J. Kermode, of Minneapolis; George and Mrs. Coulter and H. Logan, of St. Paul, are among the tourists now staying at the Driard.

J. J. Chisholm and Mrs. Chisholm, Everett; L. Bell, San Francisco; R. G. Penn, Vancouver; Alex. Charleson, Westminster; H. J. Warsap, Vancouver, and Theo. R. Hardiman, Vancouver, are at the Hotel Victoria.

E. E. Penn, city passenger agent of the C.P.R., Port Townsend, was in Victoria yesterday, accompanying his sisters-in-law, Misses M. E. and A. B. Marsh, of Toronto, Ont., to Vancouver, where they leave on the overland express for home.

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THE CELEBRATION.

What Will Be Main Features of the Attractions for Queen's Birthday.

Admiral Stephenson to Be Invited to Co Operate in a Sham Battle.

The general committee for the annual celebration of the Queen's Birthday had a somewhat protracted meeting last night at the city hall, and got through a good deal of preliminary business, including the formation of several of the principal committees. In the absence of the Mayor, Mr. William Dalby occupied the chair.

As Mr. Charles Kent wrote that he was unable to act as treasurer this year, the choice of the meeting fell on Mr. J. L. Raymur. There were added to the general committee: Messrs. George Sheddan, W. J. Hanna, F. C. Holden, F. Higgins, S. D. Schultz, Captain Langley, H. McDowell, K. Finlayson, A. Henderson, W. Challoner and A. L. Drury.

The first suggestion of an attraction during the celebration came from the Y.M.C.A., who proposed to give a gymnastic entertainment on the evening of Friday, May 24. This was laid over till after the striking of committees.

Whether the celebration should occupy two or three days was the next question dealt with. It was generally conceded that a sham fight and review by the naval forces, the R.M.A. and the B.C.B.G.A., would be a splendid attraction, if it could be secured. It was decided to celebrate on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 23, 24 and 25. The mayor and secretary will communicate with Admiral Stephenson, asking him to co-operate in having a sham fight on one of these days.

Next came the choosing of committees, those of last year being taken as a basis. The committees struck last night were:

FINANCE—Chas. Hayward, W. H. Ellis, J. Holland, A. C. Flumerfelt, B. Williams, D. R. Harris, J. Keith-Wilson, A. H. Scaife, D. R. Ker, John Braden, M.P.P.; G. Leiser, Wm. Jensen, H. Berryman and W. K. Tulloch.

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REGATTA—The Officers of H.M. Navy and R.M.A., Capt. Gaudin, Mr. Dobbin of H.M. Dockyard, Capt. Warren, J. H. Seeley, T. S. Gore, D. Cartmel, J. H. McGregor, J. S. Yates, H. D. Helmcken, A. J. Dallain, F. G. White, H. C. Macaulay, J. Holmes, A. Watson, E. E. Billinghurst, G. F. Askew, Mr. Willoughby, Mr. Haydn and Capt. Langley.

SPORTS—R. L. Drury, H. N. Short, Dr. Blanchard, F. Hinds, B. H. Johns, J. H. Seeley, F. B. Gregory, A. Henderson, A. J. Dallain, J. C. Maclure, J. S. Yates, Wm. Croft, Wm. Franklin, D. McBrady, W. Lorimer, W. Snider, H. M. Grahame and Capt. Langley.

For the sham fight the officers of the Navy, R. E., R. M. A. and B. C. B. G. A. were asked to act as the committee in charge of the arrangements.

A regatta, under the management of the Victoria Yacht Club, is to be one of the attractions.

Some animated discussion arose when Mr. Lorimer proposed field sports. Mr. McBrady considered that the sham fight, regatta and yachting should have the precedence, but after considerable talk it was decided that sports were to form a part of the programme.

The band committee will as last year be composed of a member from each of the other committees.

The meeting adjourned subject to the call of the secretary.

The following letter speaks for itself:

TO THE EDITOR:—I wish to call attention to a discussion which took place to-night at the committee meeting called to arrange for this year's Queen's Birthday celebration. It was properly, as myself and many others think, proposed that the principal and most popular and drawing events of the programme should have preference financially over the minor events, the principal ones being: The regatta, the yacht racing, the sham fight and review, and the printing and advertising expenses. The minor events, so far as the committee is concerned, include baseball, lacrosse, foot races and such like sports. The reasons that the principal events should have the preference in appropriations of the money subscribed by the citizens are these: The citizens want to get a return for the money they subscribe by having Victoria full of visitors, who naturally will spend some money when here. They want to see the right class of visitors, not those who come to gamble on the minor events or semi-professionals to compete in them, but genuine sightseers who come to enjoy themselves and spend a little money in so doing, such as visiting yachtsmen and the like. The Victoria citizens also want to be amused themselves on their great holiday, and will be willing, I am sure, to subscribe liberally if they think their money will be well spent. Now, I maintain that a regatta, yacht race and sham fight, well done, will satisfy our people. I also maintain that they don't want their money frittered away on affairs the majority take no interest in, i.e., a few boys running or semi-professionals playing for their money at Beacon Hill. Last year $600 was spent in this manner.

When the resolution calling for preference to be shown the principal events was put last night it was voted down—but, why? Simply because the chairman allowed certain gentlemen present who were, I believe, not on the committee, to vote against the resolution. Other gentlemen who wished to sit on the committee were properly nominated, but the whole affair, as a committee meeting, was reduced to an absurdity by allowing non-committeemen to vote where they had no right to. Was this fair?

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SPAIN AND CUBA.

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MISS LAURA AGNEW was the recipient of numerous handsome bouquets during last night's performance of Il Trovatore. Her Leonora is much admired.

A MEETING of St. George's Society was held last evening and an entertainment decided upon for the benefit of the bereaved parents of the late Arthur Bloor, a victim of the Velos disaster. The entertainment will be given on Tuesday evening next.

CIRCLE Archery Club, No. 1, A.O.F., met last evening and elected officers, as follows: President, Mrs. Saunders; vice-president, Miss M. Roe; field-captain, Mr. T. Smith; treasurer, Mrs. P. J. Davis; and secretary, Mrs. C. Halfpenny. It was decided at the meeting that the club should meet on the first Wednesday of every month.

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THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Mainland Lacrosse Association Formed—Rugby Football—Referee's Decision Sustained.

Tacoma's Golf Meeting—California's Champion Cricket Team to Visit Victoria.

The Tacoma Ledger of Monday contains the following in regard to the spring meeting in the City of Destiny, in which the representatives of the Victoria club especially distinguished themselves:

"The Tacoma Golf Club held its first annual spring competition on the links at Edison Saturday. The principal events were a match between six of the Victoria players and the same number belonging to the local club, a club handicap competition and an open event. The competitors in the match game were:

Victoria.	*Scores.*
H. Combe	97
W. H. Langley	124
C. B. Stahlschmidt	121
G. Anderson	149
R. Prior	132
A. P. Luxton	130
Total	753
Tacoma.	
C. S. Milliken	127
S. Medlicott	131
A. J. Bremner	114
J. Dishart	118
Rev. W. H. Cornett	132
T. B. Maclean	119
Total	741

"H. Combe played an excellent game and several of the other competitors did ve y well also. C. S. Milliken and Rev. W. H. Cornett were not, however, in their usual good form. As will be seen from the scores the Tacoma club won the contest by twelve strokes.

"There were 26 entries for the open handicap competition, which was a very exciting contest. C. B. Stahlschmidt, of Victoria, and H. S. Griggs tied with 94 strokes each and in order to decide the game they played three other holes which they again tied. Another hole was accordingly played, the Victoria player winning by one stroke. A. P. Luxton, of Victoria, took third place with 114. Owing to the strong wind and showers of rain the scores ran considerably higher than they would have done under more favorable circumstances. The club dinner was held in the Tacoma hotel, where an enjoyable evening was spent."

MEETING OF THE VICTORIA CLUB.

The members of the Victoria Golf Club are reminded of the special meeting to be held at the Hotel Driard this evening at 8 sharp. A full attendance is specially desired.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

THE REFEREE'S DECISION SUSTAINED.

A meeting of the British Columbia Rugby Union was held at Nanaimo on Monday evening after the Island v. Mainland match, the Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo clubs being represented by delegates. The appeal of the Victoria club against the try awarded to the Nanaimo Hornets in the match at Nanaimo in December last was finally decided. The majority of the meeting resolved to uphold the decision of the referee, viz that the throw out was a proper one. The match has thus been won by Nanaimo.

LACROSSE.

"CAPITALS" TO MEET.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Capital Lacrosse Club will be held at the Y.M.C.A. rooms this evening at 8 o'clock.

THE MAINLAND ASSOCIATION.

The following gentlemen have consented to act on the new Mainland Lacrosse Association board: C. M. Beecher, hon. president; J. D. Hall, president; Jas. Leamy, vice-president; John Read, secretary; council—J. Gow, Westminster; Smith and Quigley, Vancouver. Another junior lacrosse team is being organized in Vancouver.

CHESS.

VANCOUVER WANTS A MATCH.

The Vancouver Chess Club wish to play a series of games against the members of the Victoria Chess Club on the 24th May next, and arrangements are in progress to bring about a meeting. Though the Victoria Chess Club is exceptionally strong its players will probably meet foemen worthy of their steel from the Terminal City, as several of the Vancouver men have a national reputation.

CRICKET.

THE VISIT OF THE "ALAMEDAS."

There is very little doubt that Victoria will receive a visit this season from the Alameda C. C., of San Francisco, the champion team of California. Mr. C. W Rhodes, secretary of the Victoria club, had already written them, virtually inviting them to come, when the letter from their secretary was published in the COLONIST of Tuesday last. A two days' match with them will do much towards increasing interest in the game in this city.

BASEBALL.

WILL MEET TO MORROW.

A meeting of the newly organized Victoria Baseball Association is to be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, in Mr. William Duck's office, on Langley street. Business of especial importance is to be transacted.

HERE AND THERE.

Vancouver 'cyclists are getting ready for the first meet of the season, to take place on the 4th of May.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 17.—The tendency of stock prices at the opening to-day was downward, owing to the receipts of lower cables from London. The total sales to-day were 170,000.

	Closing bids
Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe	5⅞
Burlington & Quincy	73
Canadian Pacific	42½
Central Pacific	17⅞
Chicago, Cincinnati, Columbus & St. Louis	39½
Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	16 ¼
Erie	10⅞
Wells Fargo Express	105
Great Northern preferred	105
Lake Shore	141½
Louisville & Nashville	51⅞
New York Central	98½
New York & New England	38
North American Company	5½
Northern Pacific	4⅞
Northern Pacific (preferred)	18⅞
North Western	93⅞
Oregon Navigation	18
Oregon Improvement	9
Pacific Mail	2
Reading	14½
Rock Island	65
St. Paul	59½
Texas Pacific	10½
Union Pacific	12⅞
Western Union	88⅞
Bar silver, per ounce	67½c.

WOMAN'S WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

What the Woman's Board of the Atlanta Exposition Is Doing.

Too much cannot be said in praise of the members of the women's board of the International and Cotton States Exposition, to be opened at Atlanta Sept. 18. Before the board was appointed the men of Atlanta had already subscribed to the general fund all they could spare. The ladies were told that if they would raise $5,000 they might have from the general fund $10,000. They held fairs and gave entertainments, they worked in all the ways known to those who have had long practice in clearing off church debts, and the result was that they got together $15,000. The exhibits for their building, designed by Miss Elise Mercur of Pittsburg, are so numerous that an annex to the original structure will be necessary. One of the most interesting of all the different divisions will be the colonial department, in charge of Mrs. W. L. Peel. All the industries in which women work will be represented, among them beekeeping and household economics. There will be connected with the woman's building an emergency hospital, in which those suddenly taken ill or who have been hurt can be carried and cared for for the time. One of the pleasantest features will be rooms where children will be carefully attended to while their mothers visit the exposition. If it had no other reason for being, this fine women's board would have justified its existence by creating that department alone. One of the methods by which the board earned money was the publication of a woman's edition of the Atlanta Journal, whose proprietors kindly lent the plant for one day. The edition netted the energetic board $4,000. One of woman's especial fields is charity and philanthropy, and in the Atlanta building all the philanthropic and charitable societies of the world will be represented. When Mrs. Joseph Thompson, the president of the board, and her able assistants are hereafter placed in positions where a knowledge of business management, speech-making and parliamentary usage are required, they will know just what to do. And this, besides a successful and beautiful exposition of women's work, will be a part of their reward for their unselfish labors.

The Baltimore Methodist conference has refused to allow women to be delegates to the general conference. I hope with all my heart that every woman in the Baltimore conference will leave the Methodist church before next Sunday.

Woman suffrage has been established in South Australia. The reactionists in the New York state constitutional convention who insulted the best women of the state by ignoring their petition signed by over 600,000 people to submit a woman suffrage clause to the voters last fall should make a note of this.

Women do not ape men in endeavoring to free themselves mentally, physically and pecuniarily. It is not mannish to wish to wear a suitable dress for walking and exercising, to get the highest education the land affords and to have free access to all paying occupations. It is only human. The mistake the Parkhursts of the community make is to say that these reasonable human wants arise only from a desire to imitate men. Man is not such a perfect creature, as far as he has got, that women should want to imitate him. We only want freedom such as he enjoys, and we are going to have it.

One of the prominent undertakers of Philadelphia is a colored woman, Mrs. Harriet Duterte. She arranges all the minutest details of funerals, and she has carried on her business successfully for 25 years.

A highly successful steam laundry is conducted by a woman, Mrs. M. A. Weaver, in Washington city. I have often wondered why women do not oftener go into the laundry business. It seems an occupation well fitted to their quick eyes and deft fingers in these days when steam and machinery do the hardest of the work. Why American women should starve on 10 cents a day at sweat-shop sewing and let hundreds of heathen Chinamen come in and get thousands of dollars away from them at the laundry business is more than I can understand. In almost every good sized town in this country there is an opening for a good laundry run by women. Families would gladly welcome the opportunity to get their laundry work done out of the house if they could have assurance that it would be well and reasonably done.

I have always said that women ought to have charge of the street cleaning of cities. I am glad to find that there are persons in authority who think so too. It gives me pleasure to find that Miss Cynthia M. Westover has been appointed one of the inspectors of street cleaning in New York city. Street Commissioner George E. Waring, Jr., was the man brave enough to break away from traditionary politics and offer this place to Miss Westover. She is peculiarly fitted for her work. She was secretary to a former street commissioner of New York, Mr. Hans S. Beattie. She knows the Italian language, and was an angel of mercy to the laborers who found themselves imposed on. They flocked to her to redress their wrongs, and she was generally able to do it. Miss Westover is a journalist and a brilliant and highly cultivated young woman. Another lady, Mrs. Fay Pierce, has likewise been appointed a street inspector.

The late maharajah of Mysore, who was only 30 when he died, was the first Hindoo prince to start a girls' school in India. If he had lived, he would have done much to change the deplorable condition of woman in India. It is a pity that a man ready to do justice to our sex has to die while so many old hunkses like some members of the Methodist church general conference still survive. ELIZA ARCHARD CONNER.

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This Sale will include Lots in the City of New Westminster, and Choice Acreage Property in the neighborhood of Brunette River and Pitt River, and upon Lulu Island, in the District of New Westminster, as follows:

CITY PROPERTY.

Seventy-three (73) Subdivisions of Lots 5 and 6, Block 8, and Lot 6, Block 1 Suburban.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 27 and 28, Block I. Lots 1, 2, 27 and 28, Block II. Lots 1, 2, 27 and 28, Block III. Lots 1, 2, 27 and 28, Block IV. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, Block IX. Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, Block XV. All in the Plot of Rossfordton, near the Brunette River.

43 2-acre Lots on the Pitt River Road, Subdivisions of Lots 1, 16 and 45, Group I.

25 2½-acre Lots on the Austin Road, Subdivisions of Lots 1, 3, 108 and 45, Group I.

14 2-acre Lots near Fraser River, Subdivision of Lot 16, Group I.

8 10-acre Lots on Lulu Island, parts of Sections 15 and 16, B. 3, N.R., 6 W., Group 1.

A number of 10-acre Lots, Subdivision of Lots 100 and 101, Group 1., on the North Road to Port Moody.

A number of 5-acre Lots, Subdivision of Lots 5 and 6, Group 1., also on the North Road to Port Moody.

The lands herein enumerated have been locked up for many years, and this sale will afford a rare opportunity to buyers, as the reserve prices will be very low, namely: FORTY PER CENT. BELOW the final 1894 assessed value of lots in Burnaby, Coquitlam and Richmond Municipalities, and some of the lots in New Westminster City; and SIXTY PER CENT. BELOW the final assessed value of other lots in the City of New Westminster.

The lots in the eastern part of the City are eminently adapted for manufacturing purposes, many of them having a deep water frontage on the Fraser River, and for sawmill and cannery purposes cannot be surpassed. The lots in the District have been so divided and arranged as to give easy access, and every lot has a road frontage.

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JOHN TEAGUE,
Mayor.
Victoria, B.C., March 14th, 1895. mr15

RAILWAYS.

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TIME TABLE No. 24,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, April 5th, 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

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No. 1 Pass. Daily.			No. 3 Pass. Fri. Sat. Su			No. 2 Pass. Daily			No. 4 Pass. Fri. Sat. Su		
Ar.	Ar.	No.	STATIONS.	No.	Dc.	Dc.	Ar.	No.	STATIONS.	No.	Ar.
12 20 pm	8 20 pm	78	Victoria	77	5 00 pm	8 00 am	12 40 pm	1	Victoria	4	4 50 pm
12 16	8 18	77	Russell's	74	4 55	8 01	12 36	3	Esquimalt	6	4 55
12 06	8 15	74	Esquimalt	73	4 45	8 14	12 26	5	Colwood	8	4 45
12 03	8 12	73	St. Mary's	72	4 42	8 17	12 23	6	Langford	11	4 42
12 00	8 09	72	Parson's Bridge	70	4 39	8 20	12 20	8	Goldstream	20	4 39
11 53	8 02	70	Langford	67	4 32	8 27	12 13	11	Shawnigan Lake	28	4 32
11 43	7 57	67	Goldstream	58	4 22	8 37	12 03	20	Cobble Hill	31	4 22
11 15	7 30	58	Summit Siding	56	3 55	9 05	11 35	28	Cowichan	33	3 55
10 40	7 10	56	Shawnigan Lake	54	3 35	9 30	11 15	31	Duncan's	38	3 35
10 25	6 57	54	Cobble Hill	47	3 22	9 45	11 00	33	Koksilah	40	3 22
10 15	6 53	47	Cowichan	45	3 18	9 55	10 50	38	Somenos	43	3 18
10 10	6 46	45	Duncan's	40	3 11	10 05	10 40	40	Chemainus	47	3 11
10 00	6 42	40	Koksilah	38	3 07	10 15	10 30	43	Westholme	52	3 07
9 53	6 35	38	Somenos	35	3 00	10 20	10 25	47	Oyster Bay	56	2 55
9 38	6 26	35	Westholme	31	2 51	10 27	10 18	52	Shell Beach	59	2 48
9 20	6 15	31	Chemainus	26	2 40	10 42	10 03	56	Nanaimo River	62	2 33
9 11	5 57	26	Oyster Bay	19	2 22	11 00	9 45	59	Cedar	65	2 15
8 40	5 48	19	Shell Beach	16	2 13	11 03	9 40	62	Wellington	70	2 10
8 20	5 15	16	Nanaimo River	6	1 40	11 40	8 55	65	Nanaimo	67	1 45
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Going to Bed Hungry.

Some time or other, away back in the course of time, the idea got into the heads of the human family that it was injurious to eat just before going to bed. This peculiar and unnatural whim has caused many a sleepless night and many a weary day. Just how it ever obtained its general standing among intelligent people might be an interesting study for some one who likes to delve after mysteries. As a matter of fact, going to bed hungry is about the most foolish thing that a sensible person can be guilty of. To be sure, one should not eat heartily of indigestible food, but under no circumstances is the craving for something to eat to be denied. Delicate persons, especially those who have little appetite, and who never eat heartily, are frequently kept awake and pass sleepless nights on account of the demands of the stomach for something to work on. The digestive processes continue during sleep and indeed are carried on in the best possible manner at this time, there being no other forces at work to draw the vitality from what is for the moment its most important business. It would be well if every family made some provision for this need and could keep ever ready milk, hot or cold, or a cup of broth or hot soup, says the New York Ledger.

Simple Precautions.

The value of cold water douches to the entire frame of workers is seldom sufficiently considered. Sea salt in the bath and rapid friction with a loofah will render the weary constitution capable of enduring fatigue and greatly improve the circulation. In cases where nervous centers are unhinged from much railway travel massage is extremely useful. A great deal of the friction and jarring of locomotion by steam might be saved if the simple precaution of not leaning back or allowing the heels to rest on the ground were adopted. The spinal troubles caused by overjourneying would thus be saved.

ETIQUETTE.

When to Leave Your Card In the Hall. Regrets and Acceptances.

The stationer keeps up with the latest thing in bristol board, engraving script and dimensions. Go to a first class shop and be sure to have the prefix Mr., Mrs. or Miss placed before your name. The ramifications of card etiquette are monstrously long and many, considering how short life is. But there are a few rules which will go a long way toward making you seem to know more perhaps than you really do, and this is justifiable if it doesn't puff you up with undue pride.

The custom of leaving your card in the hall after a reception still obtains in good society over here. It helps the hostess to remember whether you were a factor in the crush or not and costs you a pretty penny for cards in the course of the season, for it is necessary to usage to leave a card for each lady whose name appeared on the invitation. If Miss Jones gives an "at home" for Miss Jones or Miss or Mrs. Anybody, you must leave two cards, and each of your daughters who is invited goes and leaves two cards or stays away and sends them by you, and then your husband and each of your sons who is in society leaves two cards or sends them by you. If none of you can go, you all send cards on the day of the reception.

If it were an R. S. V. P. affair, then you replied at once on note paper and in the same style of wording in which the invitation was engraved. If you declined, that's all you have to do except make a party call afterward. If you accepted, then leave cards at the time and call afterward.

Regret or accept to the people who issue the invitation always. If you know Millie Jones, and her father and mother invite you to her wedding, reply to them, not to Millie, though you may write as many reams as you please to her personally. But when you send your wedding present send that with your visiting card and one of your husband's to Millie.

"The innocence of the intention abates nothing of the mischief of the example." It is not enough to mean to be too civil. You must show that you are, remarks the New York Commercial Advertiser in including the foregoing practical suggestions.

25 Years of Suffering.

WAS CURED BY PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND.

All Other Boasted Remedies Had Failed.

Mrs. Ellen McMullin, of Florenceville, N. B., Banishes Neuralgia by Using the Wonderful Spring Medicine.

The oft-repeated statement made by thousands, that Paine's Celery Compound is the only honest medicine in the world, is fully supported by the strong and convincing letters that are sent in every day of the year by people who have been rescued from disease and death, and permanently cured.

All over the world Paine's Celery Compound has commanded the attention of medical scientists and all who are truly interested in the physical well-being of humanity. The marvellous medicine has been tested in every conceivable way, and has done far more than its discoverer ever claimed for it.

To-day, Paine's Celery Compound finds a place in the homes of the affluent and rich, as well as in the cottages of our humble artisans. It blesses all ranks and conditions and thoroughly cures the terrible diseases to which all alike are subject.

After 25 years of intense sufferings from neuralgia, after failures and disappointments with a host of boasted medicines, Mrs. Ellen McMullin, of Florenceville, N. B., was perfectly cured. She briefly writes as follows:—

"I have had neuralgia for 25 years, and during that time have tried a great many different medicines, but none gave me any relief. I continued to suffer until I commenced to use Paine's Celery Compound, which, I am happy to say, has quite cured me."

SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

An Orange That Imitates Wonderfully the Contour of the Human Hand.

The five fingered orange is a queer thing. It grows exactly in the shape of a human hand, with a thumb and four fingers. It is a half open hand, that of this curious fruit, and the close resemblance to a lean, long nailed Chinese hand is startling. Even the nails are identical, hard pointed and clawlike,

THE FIVE FINGERED ORANGE.

tipping the orange fingers with a length equal in some cases to three inches. It belongs to the orange variety. According to the San Francisco Chronicle, which illustrates it, a gentleman of that city found the odd plant a year or two ago over in Japan. He thought he had discovered a sort of missing link, so he bought it and brought it home. It is a hardy shrub, the outdoor climate of San Francisco agreeing with its health excellently well. In its native country it is usually kept potted, and the Japanese seem to be fully alive to its value as an ornamental curiosity, for Mr. Gonzalez found it a difficult matter to get one to bring to America, and so far nobody else ever did get one.

The orange tree is a ragged little shrub that does not average more than five or six feet in height. It does not grow straight, as a properly behaved tree is supposed to do, but is curved everywhere. There is a generous supply of thorns hidden under the leaves, and they are thorns that mean business. The leaves are fleshy, long and narrow and of a dark green color. They resemble a lemon leaf more than an orange leaf.

The flowers come out in June and July and are very similar in appearance and odor to the ordinary orange blossoms, save that they have a delicate pinkish tint which is very beautiful.

The fingers of the orange divide at about half the distance from the wrist, and though the division lines can be plainly seen throughout the entire length of the hand they do not destroy its contour.

The fruit itself is of a light yellow color, a pure lemon hue, growing greenish toward the stem. The size is immense, the largest ones measuring when mature fully 10 inches from the wrist to the point of the middle finger. The fruit is not edible, but what it lacks in being unable to tickle the palate it more than makes good in perfume. The strangest thing connected with the perfume is that it is the fruit and not the flower that is most odorous. The fruit when ripe is so redolent that its scent can be recognized a full mile from where the orange is growing.

Dandruff is due to an enfeebled state of the skin. Hall's Hair Renewer quickens the nutritive functions of the skin, healing and preventing the formation of dandruff.

Drink Victoria-Phœnix Lager Beer.

The Match that always lights costs no more than the match that doesn't always light.

E. B. EDDY'S MATCHES ALWAYS LIGHT.

Napoleon's Marshals.

The families of the most famous of the first Napoleon's marshals are still represented in France. Bernadotte, prince of Monte Corvo, is represented by the Swedish royal family; the Princes Murat bear the title of the brilliant cavalry commander, Berthier's descendant is the Prince of Wagram, Lannes is represented by the family of Montebello, Oudinot by the Duke of Reggio, Mortier by the Duke of Rivoli and the Prince of Essling, Grouey by the Marquis de Grouchy, and Poniatowsky by Prince S. Poniatowsky. The lines of Marmont, duke of Ragusa; Duroc, duke of Frioul; Kellermann, duke of Valmy; Augereau, duke of Castiglione, and others are extinct, while Davoust, duke of Auerstadt, is represented by a grandnephew, now a commander of an army corps. Soult's name only is kept up by a grandson, the Comte de Mornay Soult de Delmatia, while Moncey's title—that of duke of Conegliano—has been taken by a grandson, the Baron de Gillevoisin.

What to Leave a Son.

If my choice were free, I would rather give my boy the memory of a fairly happy and untrammeled life up to 20 and leave him nothing then but a consequent reasonable optimism, an unsapped courage and a disposition to regard money as a means rather than an end than keep him constantly face to face with a specter of possible poverty, fill him full of premature cares and leave him $5,000 or $25,000 a year and no memories, or well ground, healthy tastes, or world to live in indeed except such as he commonly sets out to make for himself under these circmstances, which is worse than nothing.—Scribner's Magazine.

The Heady Pin.

What's that you say, my boy?

The teacher says you are as sharp as a needle?

Well, probably she meant to compliment you, my boy. I have no doubt she did, but remember that needles always go into things with their eyes closed. You don't want to be like that.

Now, there's the pin. The pin has a head, you will notice, which prevents it going in too far.

Be like the pin, my boy.—Rockland Tribune.

No small objection which young folks had to the old time spring medicines was their nauseousness. In our day, this objection is removed and Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the most powerful and popular of blood-purifiers, is as pleasant to the palate as a cordial.

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City of Puebla - - April 18

R. P. RITHET & CO.
mch26 Agents.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

STEAMER JOAN L. P. LOCKE, MASTER.

On and after March 22nd, 1895,

The Steamer JOAN will sail as follows, calling at Way Ports as Freight and Passengers may offer:

Leave Victoria, Tuesday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesday, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or staterooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria station, Store street. fe4

C.P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 26

Takes effect March 1, 1895.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 9 o'clock a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.
For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13.15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports, via Vancouver, the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, Jan. 1st, 1895.

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

The attention of the public generally, and PLUMBERS IN PARTICULAR is called to Section 16 of the "Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873," which reads as follows: "If any person or persons shall lay or cause to be laid any pipe or main to communicate with any pipe or main of the said water works, or in any way obtain or use any water thereof without the consent of the Commissioner, he or they shall forfeit or pay to the said Commissioner, for water works purposes, the sum of FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS, and also a further sum of five dollars for each day such pipe or main shall so remain, which said sum, together with the costs of suit in that behalf, may be recovered by civil action in any court of law in the Province of British Columbia having civil jurisdiction to that amount."

The provisions of the above Section will for the future be strictly carried out.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.
City Hall, 11th March, 1895. mr12

$50 REWARD.

The above-mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other building in the City of Victoria; or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto; or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises; or defacing or injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.
Victoria, March 20, 1895. mr21

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Notice is hereby given that from and after THURSDAY, the 11th instant, the hours for keeping the Public Library open will be from 11 a.m. to 12 noon, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., and from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., each day of the week, Sundays excepted. By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
Victoria, B.C.
April 2nd., 1895. ap3.

Corporation of Victoria.

From and after this date the undersigned will not accept any orders for monies due by the employees of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

CHAS. KENT,
Treasurer.
March 5th, 1895. mr6-1m

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THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, April 17, 1895.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	39	Mean 44°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	38		
9 a. m..	46°	Highest 52°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m.,	50°		1 p.m.—Calm.
5 p. m..	46	Lowest 37°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	45°		Rain—.00

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—Charles Paulson, H Croft, J Solomon, B C Pettingill, J J Chisholm and wife, E Ewing and Joe Harbottle.

Per Steamer CHARMER from Vancouver—Capt John Irving, H Castner, J P Simpson, G E G Brown, C H Cummings, W J Davens, H W Moffatt, A Charlson, W H Melish, Mrs Mellish, Theo H Hardman, H J Warsop, W H Galley, Wm Wilson, A Barker, R T Cooper, Mrs J C Foote and children, R G Penn, A L Ryals, C T Dupont, Rev J H White, Mrs Lipscombe, W H Whittaker, C H Street, R Smith, Mrs Smith, W H Castile, M Sullivan, H Bostock, J Mitchell, Rev Yates, W McPherson, J A Duncan, Adjutant Archibald, S A.

Per Str. WALLA WALLA from San Francisco—Mrs Bassett, Mrs Partish, Mrs A Anderson, E D Bassett, Mrs Marvin, Miss Brown, Miss R Daiber, Mrs Kingsberry, R G Scofield, J H Gaerdes, Miss M Edwards, Mrs W L Cusack, Miss A Cusack, J H Wark, H E S Watkinson, J B Gordon, Mrs St Jean, Mrs W Sutherland, A Anderson, E St Jean, Wm Sutherland, E Hudson, T S Smith, H Straus, C E Burbank, Henry Sheldon, M Giddy, John Anderson, Lizzie McInniss, Miss T Keeler, A Patterson, Geo Lumbert and A Gillis.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—A J McInnes, E M Miller, G W Birks, H Birks and wife, A H Tucker, A Dalgardno, C E C Webb, Mark Swan, P Heroden, Rev Tividi, Charles Farnsworth and wife, C Ransom, P Thompson, P Kennedy and wife, H F Brown and wife, Mrs McKilligan, T Sharp, W E Lords, wife and daughter, Miss Kernon, Wm Bishop, wife and daughter.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—Valo & Brooks, J H Todd & Sons, Wilson Bros, E W & Co, R H J and C R K.

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Per Str. WALLA WALLA from San Francisco—S Schoen, Speed Bros, Gus Leiser, Thos Shaw, Thos Earle, T H Tye & Co, Valo & Brooks, Vic Electric Ry & L Co, Vic Phoenix Brewing Co, Wilson Bros, W J Cusack, Wm Jensen, Albion Iron Works, Blair & Gordon, C W Cameron, Cerf Schloss & Co, Cookson & P, D H Ross & Co, Erskine, Wall & Co, E J Saunders & Co, E G Prior & Co, Findley Bros, Fred Norris, F R Stewart, Fell & Co, F Carne jr, Hon Theo Davie, Hudson Bay Co, J H Todd & Son, J & A Clearihue, Jas Crawford, J A Ritchie, J H Warner, L White & Co, Langley & Co, Marvin & Tilton, M R Smith & Co, Mrs G N Welton, Pither & Leiser, P McQuade & Son, R P Rithet & Co, R Baker & Son.

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Should be careful in the selection of their druggist and look to it that they choose one whose reputation for keeping nothing but the purest medicines is established.

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DIED.

SIMPSON—At her residence, on the 16th inst., Martha Jane, beloved wife of G. L. Simpson, in her forty-sixth year.

The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock on Thursday, the 18th inst., from the residence, Speed Avenue, Saanich Road, (near the end of tram car line).

BROWN—On the 17th inst., Mary, the only surviving child of Mr. Peter Brown, aged 3 years and 4 months.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY, (Thursday), at 2 o'clock, from 82 North Pembroke street, and 2 30 p.m. at the Reformed Episcopal Church. Friends are invited to attend.

BRITAIN AND NICARAGUA.

The Position of Affairs—Arbitration Wanted by the Southern Republic.

LONDON, April 17.—Nicaragua's answer to the British ultimatum falls very short of Britain's demands. The British government demanded reparation for the expulsion of Mr. Hatch, the British consular agent, and for personal injury sustained by British subjects, and the appointment of a commission to arbitrate the amount of damages done to the property of British subjects, etc., indicating the position of the committee, and stating that no American should be chosen as a member. Nicaragua now seeks to refer the matter to an impartial commission of arbitration. The foreign office is unable to state what Great Britain's course will be. It has received no information, and discredits the reports that the United States has indicated objections to the bombardment of Greytown and the landing of troops.

WASHINGTON, April 17. — Sir Julian Pauncefote, British ambassador, has not received any definite advices concerning the latest Nicaraguan developments. There are two views taken by diplomats of the status of affairs. One is that Great Britain's ultimatum was one submitted for acceptance or rejection. Nicaragua's answer proposed other terms, but is indirectly a rejection of the British terms. If Great Britain considers this an evasion, she will proceed to enforce the ultimatum. The other view is that Great Britain would not exert immediate force until the foreign office had taken the usual diplomatic course of rejecting Nicaragua's counter-proposition, in which case it would be still a subject for diplomacy, and not force.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

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TERMS OF PEACE.

Comments of the London Press on the Terms of the Treaty of Peace Between China and Japan.

LONDON, April 17.—The Standard says: "Whatever the exact stipulations of the Chino-Japanese treaty may prove to be, it must be distinctly understood that they are subject to the approval of the other states having relations with Eastern Asia. Only so far as they do not unfairly conflict with the legitimate rights of Europeans can they be permitted to have effect. Anything that could serve as the basis of a scheme giving Japan a political and commercial mastery over China cannot be allowed to pass."

The Daily News, referring to the Chino-Japanese alliance, said to be one of the conditions of the treaty, says that under the new conditions such an alliance would be so much more to the advantage of China that it can scarcely imagine Japan proposing it. "Japan," says the News, has emerged from the conflict a great power. There is no precise parallel in the history of the world to her marvellous adaptability and imitative genius."

The Graphic is inclined to believe in the reported alliance. It says: "This Japanisation of China would be the death knell of the European in Eastern Asia, and the ruin of Western industry."

The Times, apparently sharing in the general scepticism as to the reported terms of the treaty of peace, endeavors to show that a necessarily brief dispatch may cover much that is not stated. Possibly it will say the alliance clause does not cover more than a commercial arrangement. The Times advises a suspension of judgment on the matter and deprecates the hasty assumption that Japan will necessarily become a powerful rival of Europe.

The Chronicle says that such terms as have been announced as the conditions of peace between China and Japan would be a defiance of Europe and a danger to the world.

The Pall Mall Gazette, commenting on the terms of peace between China and Japan, as defined in the imperial edict, says the conditions are better than those mentioned in the Times dispatches, that the cession of Formosa will surely displease England, while the cession of Port Arthur will be objected to by Russia. "Our government," the Gazette says, "may safely be depended upon to do nothing, however, unless other powers take action."

The St. James Gazette says: "If Japan declines to become frightened Russia may come to the conclusion that it is better not to try force. In the meanwhile England is benevolent and has no feeling of anger toward Japan. The opening of factories in China by Japan does not mean a monopoly as England could also open factories if she chose."

FROM ALASKA.

Scarcity of Provisions—A Road to the Head Waters of the Yukon the Great Necessity.

JUNEAU, Alaska, April 9.—I have just arrived down from the Yukon Portage. There were 475 men there, of whom about 200 had crossed the summit taking large supplies on account of the reported scarcity of the necessaries of life at the mines. This shortage was partly due to the grounding of the steamer Arctic on the Porcupine flats, near Fort Yukon. There are at least 120 tons of provisions and merchandise on the Portage at present, en route to the mines, which miners are taking in for their own use.

This is not the first time that miners of the Yukon have found themselves too near starvation for comfort, this having happened in the fall of 1889, when 95 miners were obliged to leave their diggings, when bacon and beans were a luxury of the past. Only 46 were left to winter there, who would have suffered greatly had it not been for a large number of caribou and moose crossing the trail, and for the crop of turnips which Mr. McQuesten (the storekeeper) had raised during the summer. It was then remain and starve, or leave and try to reach the coast. This trip of 1,600 miles will long be remembered by the early miners.

Since the arrival of Mr. Ogilvie in December last to survey the Takou route and other passes for a road to the head waters of the Yukon river the people of Southern Alaska and Northern British Columbia have been in hopes that the necessity to climb the mighty summit now travelled would soon be a thing of the past, and the route now adopted made known and road construction commenced at an early date.

If the officials who are to see justice done to the early prospectors and miners could only realize the struggles of these brave men they would lose no time in pushing the road through at once. No difficulty is to be apprehended in turning all the trade of this mighty basin through Northern British Columbia, all that is required being a good wagonroad or railroad of 36 miles, but at present the miner cannot depend on getting his supplies when needed and starvation may stare him in the face at any time. The pioneer explorers have been hammering away on this theme for the past 12 years, and the lack of a road is driving away the trade. W. MOORE.

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A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.
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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

A Third Line of Steamships to Connect Victoria With the Orient.

H. M. S. "Nymphe" Expected From 'Frisco To Day—Ship "City of Florence" Arrives.

Victoria will this year be connected with three distinctly different Oriental lines of steamships—one more than at present. The new line will be operated by Samuel Samuels & Co., Yokohama, who have entered into a contract with the Oregon Railway and Navigation company for the establishment of a steamship service between Portland and the Orient. The scheme has long been under contemplation, but definite arrangements had only recently been entered into. Mr. F. C. Davidge, of this city, will direct the business of the new line both here and in Portland, where he intends establishing an office. In conversation yesterday Mr. Davidge said his company would not pretend to compete for passenger business with the present Oriental lines, freight traffic being the principal consideration in the proposed enterprise. A monthly service will be at first adopted and to inaugurate this the British steamer Chittagong will leave Hongkong on her inward voyage on May 15, being due at Portland early in June.

ARRIVED FROM LIVERPOOL.

The ship City of Florence, Capt. Leask, 143 days from Liverpool, arrived last evening. She brings a general cargo, consigned to Findlay, Durham & Brodie of this city, and Bell-Irving & Co. of Vancouver.

MARINE NOTES.

At 8 o'clock last evening the California mail steamer Walla Walla from San Francisco berthed at the outer wharf. She had aboard 209 passengers, a large number of whom were destined for Victoria. She also brought 105 tons of freight for this city, the bulk of which was California produce. On her way from San Francisco the Walla Walla passed H M S Nymphe making her way here from San Francisco. The Nymphe left San Francisco on Sunday night and is under easy steam.

The American schooner Bartlett has completed her cargo at the Brunette mills and will sail for San Francisco to-day with 600,000 feet of lumber.

Steamer Joan left the Esquimalt marine ways yesterday evening after undergoing repairs to her bottom. She will make her usual run this week.

Stevedores Coles and McDermott began loading the ship Earl of Hopetoun at the Hastings mill yesterday for Adelaide, Australia.

The American schooner Lucy, 294 tons, is to load lumber at the Brunette mills for California.

Steamer Maude left for Coast points last evening with a fair cargo but few passengers.

Tug Falcon arrived from Comox yesterday morning with a scow load of coal.

The Al Ki calls here on Friday evening or Saturday morning en route to Alaska.

The R M S. Empress of India arrived in Yokohama Monday morning.

H M.S. Nymphe is due from the South this morning.

ENTERED.

Str. Charmer.....from Vancouver.
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " " "
" Evangel..... " Port Angeles..
" Falcon..... " Comox. "
" Coquitlam..... " Haddington I'd.
" Lorne..... " Straits.

CLEARED.

Str. Charmer.....for Vancouver.
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " " "
" R. P. Rithet..... " N. Westminster.
" Evangel..... " Port Angeles.
" Lorne..... " Straits.

Advance in Coal Oil.

PITTSBURG, April 16.—Oil continued upward yesterday and no one seemed able to predict when the return trip would begin. The Standard put up its price 25 cents to $2, which gave prices on the exchange a lively impetus. May options open at $2 05 bid, an advance of six cents over the closing of Saturday. First sales were at $2 15, and the price kept going up until at 10:15 10,000 barrels were sold at $2 25.

Mrs. May Johnson.

Ayer's Pills

"I would like to add my testimony to that of others who have used Ayer's Pills, and to say that I have taken them for many years, and always derived the best results from their use.

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Liver, or Bowels,

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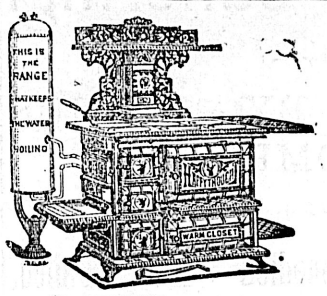

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